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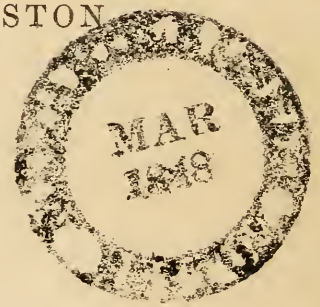

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JOINT RULES AND ORDERS

OF THE

CITY COUNCIL.

SECT. 1. At the commencement of the Municipal year, the following Joint Standing Committees shall be chosen by ballot, viz:

A Committee on Finance—

To consist of the Mayor and seven members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Accounts—

To consist of two Aldermen and three members of the Common Council.

And the following shall be appointed, viz:

A Committee on the Public Lands—

To consist of two members of the Board of

Mayor and Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Public Buildings—

To consist of three members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Public Instruction—

To consist of the Mayor, two Aldermen, and the President and four members of the Common Council;

A Committee on the Gaol and the Houses of Correction, Industry, and Reformation—

To consist of the Mayor, two Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Fuel—

To consist of three members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Water—

To consist of the Mayor, two Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council;

A Committee on the Treasury Department—

To consist of two Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council;

A Committee on the Assessors' Department—

To consist of two members of the Board of Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Boston Harbor—

To consist of two members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Printing—

To consist of one member of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and two members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Alien Passengers—

To consist of four members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and seven members of the Common Council;

A Committee on a Public Library—

To consist of the Mayor and two Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council.

On all Joint Committees, wherein it is provided that the Mayor shall be a member, in case of the non-election, decease, inability, or absence of that officer, the Chairman of the Board of Aldermen shall act ex-officio.

The members of the Board of Aldermen and of the Common Council, who shall constitute the Joint Standing Committees, shall be chosen or appointed by their respective Boards.

The Mayor, the President of the Common Council, and the Chairman of the Committee of Finance on the part of the Common Council, shall, accord-

ing to the ordinance, constitute the Committee on the Reduction of the City Debt.

The member of the Board of Aldermen first named on every Joint Committee, of which the Mayor is not a member, shall be its Chairman; and in case of his resignation or inability, the other members of the same Board, in the order in which they are named, and after them, the member of the Common Council, first in order, shall call meetings of the Committee and act as Chairman.

SECT. 2. In every case of disagreement between the two branches of the City Council, if either Board shall request a conference, and appoint a Committee of Conference, and the other Board shall also appoint a Committee to confer, such Committee shall, at a convenient hour, to be agreed upon by their Chairman, meet and state to each other verbally or in writing, as either shall choose, the reasons of their respective Boards, for and against the matter in controversy, confer freely thereon, and report to their respective branches.

SECT. 3. When either Board shall not concur in any action of the other, notice of such non-concurrence shall be given by written message.

SECT. 4. Either Board may propose to the other, for its concurrence, a time to which both Boards shall adjourn.

SECT. 5. All By-Laws passed by the City Council, shall be termed "Ordinances," and the enacting

style shall be:—Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled.

Sect. 6. In all votes, when either or both branches of the City Council express any thing by way of *Command*, the form of expression shall be "Ordered;" and whenever either or both branches express *opinions*, *principles*, *facts*, or *purposes*, the form shall be "Resolved."

Sect. 7. In the present and every future financial year, after the annual order of appropriations shall have been passed, no subsequent expenditures shall be authorized for any object, unless provision for the same shall be made by special transfer from some of the appropriations contained in such annual order, or by expressly creating therefor a City Debt; in the latter of which cases, the order shall not be passed, unless two thirds of the whole number of each branch of the City Council shall vote in the affirmative, by vote taken by yea and nay.

Sect. 8. Joint Standing Committees shall cause records to be kept of their proceedings, in books provided by the City for that purpose. No Committee shall act by separate consultations, and no report shall be received, unless agreed to in Committee actually assembled.

Sect. 9. It shall be the duty of every Joint Committee, to whom any subject may be specially

referred, to report thereon within four weeks, or to ask for further time.

SECT. 10. All reports and other papers submitted to the City Council, shall be written in a fair hand, and no report or endorsement of any kind shall be made on the reports, memorials, or other papers referred to the Committees of either branch. And the Clerks shall make copies of any papers to be reported by Committees, at the request of the respective Chairmen thereof.

SECT. 11. No Committee shall enter into any contract with, or purchase, or authorize the purchase of any articles of any of its members.

SECT. 12. No Chairman of any Committee shall audit or approve any bill or account against the City, for any supplies or services, which shall not have been ordered or authorized by the Committee.

RULES AND ORDERS

OF THE

COMMON COUNCIL.

Duties and Powers of the President.

SECT. 1. The President shall take the chair precisely at the hour to which the Council shall have adjourned; shall call the members to order; and on the appearance of a quorum, cause the minutes of the preceding meeting to be read, and proceed to business.

SECT. 2. He shall preserve decorum and order; may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Council, by motion regularly seconded; and no other business shall be in order till the question on the appeal shall have been decided.

SECT. 3. He shall declare all votes, but if any member rises to doubt a vote, the President shall cause a return of the members voting in the affirma-

tive, and in the negative, without further debate on the question.

SECT. 4. He shall rise to address the Council, or to put a question, but may read sitting.

SECT. 5. In all cases the President may vote.

SECT. 6. When the Council shall determine to go into a Committee of the Whole, the President shall appoint the member who shall take the chair. The President may at any other time, call any member to the chair, but such substitution shall not continue beyond an adjournment.

SECT. 7. On all questions and motions whatsoever, the President shall take the sense of the Council by yeas and nays, provided one fifth of the members present shall so require.

SECT. 8. The President shall propound all questions in the order in which they are moved, unless the subsequent motion shall be previous in its nature, except, that in naming sums and fixing times, the largest sum and longest time, shall be put first.

SECT. 9. After a motion is stated or read by the President, it shall be deemed to be in possession of the Council, and shall be disposed of by vote; but the mover may withdraw it at any time before a decision or amendment.

SECT. 10. When a question is under debate, the President shall receive no motion, but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone to a day certain, to commit, to amend, or

to postpone indefinitely; which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they stand arranged; and a motion to strike out the enacting clause of an Ordinance, shall be equivalent to a motion to postpone indefinitely.

SECT. 11. The President shall consider a motion to adjourn as always in order; and that motion, and the motion to lay on the table, or to take up from the table, shall be decided without debate.

SECT. 12. He shall put the previous question in the following form: "*Shall the main question be now put?*"—and all debate upon the main question shall be suspended until the previous question shall be decided. After the adoption of the previous question, the sense of the Council shall forthwith be taken upon amendments reported by a Committee, upon all pending amendments, and then upon the main question.

SECT. 13. On the previous question, no member shall speak more than once without leave; and all incidental questions of order, arising after a motion is made for the previous question, shall be decided without debate, except on an appeal; and on such an appeal, no member shall be allowed to speak more than once without leave of the Council.

SECT. 14. When two or more members happen to rise at once, the President shall name the member who is first to speak.

SECT. 15. All Committees shall be appointed and announced by the President, unless otherwise provided for, or specially directed by the Council.

Rights, Duties and Decorum of Members.

SECT. 16. In the absence of the President, the senior member present shall call the Council to order, and preside until a President pro tempore shall be chosen by ballot; and if an election is not effected on the first trial, on a second ballot a plurality of votes shall elect.

SECT. 17. Every member when about to speak, shall rise and respectfully address the President; shall confine himself to the question under debate, and avoid personalities; and shall sit down when he has finished. No member shall speak out of his place without leave of the President.

SECT. 18. No member speaking, shall be interrupted by another, but by rising up to call to order.

SECT. 19. No member shall speak more than twice on one question, without first obtaining leave of the Council; nor more than once, until the other members, who have not spoken, shall speak, if they desire it.

SECT. 20. When a vote has passed, it shall be in order for any member who voted in the majority, to move a reconsideration thereof, at the same or the succeeding meeting, but not afterward; and

when a motion for reconsideration is decided, that vote shall not be reconsidered.

SECT. 21. No member shall be obliged to be on more than two Committees at the same time, nor Chairman of more than one.

SECT. 22. No member shall be permitted to stand up to the interruption of another, while any member is speaking; or to pass unnecessarily between the President and the person speaking.

SECT. 23. When any member shall be guilty of a breach of either of the rules and orders of the Council, he may, on motion, be required by the Council to make satisfaction therefor; and in such a case, he shall not be allowed to vote, or speak, except by way of excuse, till he has done so.

SECT. 24. No member shall be permitted to vote, or serve on any Committee, on any question where his private right is immediately concerned, distinct from the public interest.

SECT. 25. Every member, who shall be present when a question is put, where he is not excluded by interest, shall give his vote, unless the Council, for special reasons, shall excuse him; application to be so excused, on any question, must be made before the Council is divided, or before the calling of the yeas and nays, and such application shall be accompanied by a brief statement of the reasons, and shall be decided on without debate.

Sect. 26. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President shall so direct.

Sect. 27. Any member may require the division of a question, when the sense will admit of it. A motion to strike out and insert, shall be deemed indivisible; but a motion to strike out, being lost, shall not preclude amendment, or a motion to strike out and insert.

Sect. 28. No motion or proposition, of a subject different from that under consideration, shall be admitted under color of amendment.

Sect. 29. Motions and Reports may be committed or recommitted, at the pleasure of the Council.

Sect. 30. At every regular meeting of the Council, the papers from the other Board, and such papers and other matters as shall then be presented, shall be first acted upon; after which, the unfinished business in which the Council was engaged at the time of the adjournment of the last regular meeting, shall be first in order.

Sect. 31. When a vote is doubted, the members for, and against the question, when called on by the President, shall rise and stand till they are counted.

Sect. 32. All questions relating to priority of business to be acted upon, shall be decided without debate.

Sect. 33. When a motion is made to refer any subject, and different Committees are proposed, the question shall be taken in the following order:

A Standing Committee of the Council;
A Select Committee of the Council;
A Joint Standing Committee;
A Joint Select Committee.

SECT. 34. The seats of members of the Council shall be numbered, and shall be determined in the presence of the Council, by drawing the names of members, and the numbers of the seats, simultaneously; and each member shall be entitled for the year, to the seat bearing the number so drawn against his name; and shall not change it except by permission of the President.

SECT. 35. No member shall call another member by his name, in debate, but may allude to him by any intelligible and respectful designation.

SECT. 36. If the reading of any paper is called for, and any member objects thereto, it shall be decided by the Council.

SEC. 37. No rule or order of the Council shall be dispensed with, altered or repealed, unless two thirds of the members present consent thereto.

Petitions, Memorials, &c.

SECT. 38. All papers addressed to the Council, shall be presented by the President, or a member in his place, and shall be read by the President, Clerk, or such other person as the President may request; and shall be taken up in the order in which they are presented, except when the Council shall otherwise

determine; provided, that the reading of petitions, memorials, remonstrances, and papers of a like nature, shall in all instances be dispensed with, unless specially ordered by the Council.

Powers and Duties of Committees.

Sect. 39. The rules of proceeding in the Council, shall be observed in Committee of the Whole, so far as they are applicable, excepting the rule limiting the times of speaking; but no member shall speak twice upon any question, until every member choosing to speak, has spoken. A motion to rise, report progress and ask leave to sit again, shall be first in order, and shall be decided without debate.

Sect. 40. The following Standing Committees of the Council, shall be appointed at the commencement of the municipal year, and shall each consist of five members:

A Committee on Elections and Returns;

A Committee on Enrolled Ordinances.

Sect. 41. No Committee shall sit during the sessions of the Council, without special leave.

Sect. 42. All Committees of the Council, chosen by ballot, or consisting of one or more from each ward, shall be notified of their first meeting by the Clerk, by the direction of the President; they shall organize at their first meeting, by the choice of a Chairman, and shall report the same to the Council;

and members on the part of the Council, of Joint Committees, chosen as aforesaid, shall choose a Chairman at their first meeting, and report to the Council in like manner.

In all cases where the President appoints a Committee, unless otherwise provided for, the member first named shall be Chairman, and in his absence the member next in order who shall be present, shall be Chairman pro tempore.

SECT. 43. All Select Committees of the Council, shall consist of three members, unless otherwise ordered.

SECT. 44. No Report of any Committee shall be entitled to be received, unless agreed to in Committee assembled.

SECT. 45. No meeting of any Committee shall be called upon less notice than twenty-four hours.

SECT. 46. It shall be the duty of all Standing Committees, to keep record of their doings, in books provided by the City for that purpose.

SECT. 47. Committees of the Council, to whom any matter is specially referred, may be required to report within four weeks, or ask for further time.

Ordinances, Orders, &c.

SECT. 48. No Ordinance, Order, or Resolution, imposing penalties, or authorizing the expenditure of money, shall have more than one reading on the

same day; and all ordinances, orders and resolutions, shall have two several readings before they are finally passed; and when enrolled, the Committee on Enrolled Ordinances, shall, as soon as may be, examine them, and certify on the back thereof, that they are duly enrolled.

Elections, &c.

Sect. 49. In all elections by ballot on the part of the Council, the number of blanks, and ballots for ineligible persons, shall be reported, but shall not be counted in the returns.

Sect. 50. All salary officers shall be voted for by written ballots.

Duties of Clerk, &c.

Sect. 51. The Clerk shall keep minutes of the votes and proceedings of the Council,—enter thereon such orders and resolutions, as are adopted,—shall notice Reports, Petitions, Memorials and other papers which are presented,—and shall enter all accepted Reports of Select Committees of the Council, at length in a separate journal, to be kept for that purpose, and provided with an index,—shall draw up all messages to the Mayor and Aldermen, and send them by the Messenger, and shall attend the meetings of Committees of the Council and make their records when required.

RECENT ORDINANCES.

An Ordinance regulating the purchase of Fuel for the use of the City.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. That hereafter all contracts for wood, bark, coal and other fuel, for the use of the City, in each and every of its respective branches and departments, as well for the use of the Public Schools and Primary Schools, as all other public buildings and offices, excepting the several Institutions at South Boston, shall be made by a Committee of the City Council, (of which the Mayor shall be Chairman,) whose duty it shall be to advertise in the public newspapers in which the City Ordinances are printed, for sealed proposals for furnishing the same—at least one week previously to making any contract for the same—and the proposals shall contain the terms for which each particular description of fuel will be furnished, separately and distinctly; and such proposals being considered, shall be accepted, or rejected according to the terms, as may be deemed advisable by said Committee—and the contract so made, shall provide for the delivery of the same at such different times and in such places as may be required by the Superintendent of Public Buildings during the year—and such contract shall be made annually, between the months of May and September.

Sect. 2. All fuel of every description which shall be contracted for, shall, previously to the delivery thereof, be weighed or measured by a weigher or measurer appointed for that purpose by the City; and it shall be the duty of the Superintendent of Public Buildings to attend to the delivery and reception of the same, and to give certificates therefor as the same is delivered, to the end that the proper quantity and quality may be ascertained to have been received by the Committee; and it shall be the duty of the Chairman of said Committee to certify the bills of the same previously to the payment thereof.

Sect. 3. So much of the Ordinance relating to the Superintendent of Streets, and prescribing his duties, passed August 22, 1833, as requires said Superintendent to make contracts for the purchase of fuel for the use of the City, and all other parts of that, and any other Ordinance, as are inconsistent with this Ordinance, be and the same hereby are repealed. [*Passed May* 8, 1843.]

An Ordinance concerning the removal of buildings through the Streets of the City.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

No person shall obstruct any street, lane or other highway, or any part thereof, in the City of Boston, by placing therein any house, barn or other building, for the purpose of removing the same from any part of the said City—and no person shall remove or draw through or upon any of the said streets, lanes or other highways, any house, barn or other building, unless duly permitted so to do by the Mayor and Aldermen. Any person who shall offend against the provisions of this Ordinance, and any person

who shall aid and assist therein, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one, nor more than Twenty Dollars, and a like sum for every twelve hours that the said obstruction shall continue, or that the said house, barn or other building shall remain in or upon any such street, lane or other highway, to be recovered by complaint before the Justices of the Police Court. [*Passed May* 18, 1843.]

An Ordinance concerning the Sale of the Public Buildings.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. Whenever the City Council shall order the purchase of any land, for the purpose of erecting any building thereon, such purchase shall be made under the direction of the Standing Committee of the City Council on Public Buildings.

SECT. 2. Whenever any building, or any land appurtenant thereto, belonging to the City, shall be ordered, by the said Council, to be sold, for the purpose of defraying the cost of any building about to be erected for public uses, the same shall be sold under the direction of the Standing Committee of the City Council on Public Buildings, and the receipts in money on account of such sale, shall, as far as may be sufficient for that purpose, be applied to the payment of the cost of erecting such building.

SECT. 3. No public building belonging to the City, shall be sold by any Committee of the City Council, without an Order from the Council being first passed, authorizing such sale.

SECT. 4. So much of the Ordinance passed March 10, 1834, entitled "An Ordinance concerning the Public Loans and Reduction of the City Debt," and of an Ordinance

passed April 10th, 1834, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the care and management of the Public Lands," as is inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance, is hereby repealed. [*Passed October* 2, 1843.]

An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance in relation to Common Sewers and Drains.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. It shall be the duty of the Mayor and Aldermen, in making assessments for defraying the expense of constructing or repairing Common Sewers, pursuant to the provision of the Ordinance to which this is in addition, to deduct from the said expense such part, and not less than one quarter part, as they may deem it expedient, should be charged to, and paid by the City; and to assess the remainder thereof upon the persons and estates deriving benefit from such Common Sewer, either by the entry of their particular Drains therein, or by any more remote means;— apportioning the assessment according to the value of the lands thus benefited, independently of any buildings or improvements thereon. And also to prescribe and establish the time when the proportion of the said assessments, which is charged upon persons benefited, shall be paid.

SECT. 2. The eleventh section of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance in relation to Common Sewers and Drains," passed June 14th, 1841, and also so much of the said Ordinance as is inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed. [*Passed March* 7, 1844.]

An Ordinance for the regulation of Hackney Carriages, Cabs, and other Carriages, within the City of Boston.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. No owner, or driver, of any Hackney Carriage, Cab, or other Carriage, shall place such Hackney Carriage, Cab, or other Carriage, in any public street, lane, avenue, court, place, or square, within the City, to stand there, to be employed, unless such owner shall first obtain the consent of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City, so to place them.

SECT. 2. *Be it further ordained*, That whoever shall offend against the provisions of this Ordinance, shall forfeit and pay, for each offence, a sum not less than two dollars, nor more than twenty, to be recovered by complaint before the Justices of the Police Court.

[*Passed April* 18, 1844.]

An Ordinance relating to Obstructions in the Streets.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows;

SECT. 1. No person shall hereafter construct or place any portico, porch, window, or step, which shall project into any street, lane, public place, or any way of the said City, under a penalty of four dollars for each offence, and a like penalty for every week that the said portico, porch, window, or step shall be continued as aforesaid.

SECT. 2. No cellar door or door-way, shall hereafter

be made in any sidewalk, or projecting into any street, lane, public place, or way of the said City, for the purpose of being kept open during the day or night time, nor shall such cellar door or door-way be kept open or used as a customary entrance or passage-way from any street, lane, public place, or way of said City, into any cellar or other part of any building, under a penalty of not less than four dollars for each and every day that the said cellar door or door-way shall be used or kept open for such purpose.

SECT. 3. No person being the owner or occupant of any building, or having the care thereof, shall permit or suffer any cellar door or cellar door-way, which is now or shall hereafter be made, and which does or shall project into any street, lane, public square, or way of the said City, beyond such building, to remain open, or the platform thereof to be removed, during any part of the night-time, or for more than five hours during the day-time, unless duly permitted so to do by the Mayor and Aldermen, or by some person authorized by them, under a penalty of not more than twenty dollars for each and every offence.

SECT. 4. All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances heretofore passed, which are repugnant to, or inconsistent with, the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed.

[*Passed May* 30, 1844.]

An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance regulating the going at large of Cattle.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

All that part of the sixth section of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance in relation to the Common and Common lands of the City, and regulating the going at large of Cat-

tle," passed November 4, 1833, which provides that any inhabitant of South Boston shall be allowed to have one Cow go at large, at South Boston, without a keeper; and which further provides that no inhabitant of South Boston shall permit any Cow, to him belonging, to go at large without a talley on her neck, and the owner's name thereon, is hereby repealed. [*Passed June* 13, 1844.]

An Ordinance abolishing the office of City Attorney.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

That an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance establishing the office of City Attorney," passed April 16th, 1839, be and the same is hereby repealed. [*Passed June* 24, 1844.)

An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance relating to Obstructions in the Streets.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

The provisions of the first section of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance relating to Obstructions in the Streets," passed May 30, 1844, are hereby repealed, so far as the same relate to any steps, therein mentioned, which were in progress of completion, or for the erection of which contracts had been entered into, and plans agreed upon, at the time of the passage of the said Ordinance—*provided*

however, that the said steps shall be finished and completed on or before the first day of January, in the year 1845.
[*Passed December 5*, 1844.]

An Ordinance providing for the discharge of the duties of Mayor, in certain cases.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, That during any vacancy in the office of Mayor, all the powers and duties heretofore exercised and performed by the Mayor, by virtue of any Ordinance, Order, or Resolve, of the City Council, shall be exercised and performed by the Chairman of the Board of Aldermen for the time being.
[*Passed February 7*, 1845.]

An Ordinance in addition to "An Ordinance relating to the Boston Lunatic Hospital."

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. There shall be chosen by the City Council, annually, in the month of January or February, seven persons, including one Alderman and one member of the Common Council, who shall be a Board of Visiters of the Boston Lunatic Hospital, who shall hold their offices until others are chosen in their places, and who shall have all the powers and perform all the duties prescribed to the

Board of Visiters of the said Hospital, by the Ordinance to which this is in addition.

SECT. 2. All rules and regulations which shall be made by the said Board of Visiters, for the employment, compensation and discharge of the subordinate officers, attendants, and domestics, and for the government and management of the said Hospital, shall, within one month after the same shall have been made, be submitted to the City Council, and such rules and regulations shall be in force until repealed by said Board of Visiters, or until disapproved of by vote of the said City Council.

SECT. 3. The first section of the Ordinance to which this is in addition, passed October 3d, 1842, and all Ordinances, and parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed. The powers and duties of the present Board of Visiters shall cease upon the election by the City Council of the new Board contemplated by this act.

[*Passed March* 13, 1845.]

An Ordinance concerning the assessment and collection of Taxes.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. That a Joint Committee on the Assessors' Department, consisting of two of the Board of Aldermen, and three of the Common Council, shall be annually appointed, whose duty it shall be to confer with the Principal Assessors, and make such provision for their assistance in taking a list of the polls, and in making a valuation of the real and personal estates in the respective wards, as the exigency of that department may from time to time require. And also it shall be the duty of the Assistant Assessors of the respec-

tive wards to visit in company with one or more of the Principal Assessors, or with such other person or persons as the Principal Assessors may, with the concurrence of the aforesaid Joint Standing Committee, appoint to perform that duty.

SECT. 2. That so much of the Ordinance concerning the assessment and collection of Taxes, passed May 16, 1836, as is inconsistent herewith, be, and the same hereby is repealed. [*Passed May* 12, 1845.]

An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance for the care and management of the Public Lands.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. That the fourth section of an Ordinance to provide for the care and management of the Public Lands, (passed April 10, 1834) is so far amended that the joint committee therein named, may consist of two members of the Board of Aldermen, (or the Mayor and one member of the Board of Aldermen,) and three members of the Common Council, and any provisions contained in the said Ordinance inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

SECT. 2. So much of the first section of an Ordinance regulating the purchase of fuel for the use of the City as renders it imperative that the Mayor shall be Chairman of the Committee therein appointed, is hereby repealed.

[*Passed February* 9, 1846.]

An Ordinance to regulate the proceedings of the Commissioners for supplying the City of Boston with Pure Water.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled,* That the Commissioners who may be appointed by virtue of the third section of the statute passed on the thirtieth day of March last, entitled "An Act for supplying the City of Boston with Pure Water," shall be known and called by the name of "The Boston Water Commissioners," and the salary of each Water Commissioner shall be thirty-five hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly.

SECT. 2. *Be it further ordained,* That the Boston Water Commissioners aforesaid, shall have full power and authority, during their continuance in office, to take, by purchase or otherwise, all such lands, waters and water rights; to make, in behalf of the City, all such contracts and agreements, to appoint and employ all such engineers, clerks, agents and laborers, and to procure and purchase all such implements and materials, as may be suitable and proper for facilitating, expediting and finishing the works, and for fully accomplishing the objects and purposes of the said statute in the most speedy, economical, advantageous, permanent and effectual manner.

SECT. 3. *Be it further ordained,* That it shall be the duty of the Boston Water Commissioners aforesaid, to exercise all reasonable vigilance and care, by personal inspection, examination and supervision from day to day, or from time to time, as circumstances may require; to see that all the works, matters and things to be done, executed and performed by and through their agency and under their superintendence, by virtue of the statute aforesaid, shall be done, executed and performed in a substantial, economical and effectual manner; that all the officers, agents and other

persons who may be employed by them in the works aforesaid, execute and discharge the duties and labors assigned to them respectively in a diligent and faithful manner; and that all contracts and agreements made and concluded by them in the execution of the duties of their office, are faithfully and properly executed and performed.

SECT. 4. *Be it further ordained*, That in order to enable the City Council seasonably to raise and provide the funds necessary for defraying the costs and expenses which may from time to time be incurred in the prosecution of the work, and for carrying into full effect the purposes and objects of the statute aforesaid, the Boston Water Commissioners aforesaid shall, from time to time, seasonably make and prepare, with as much particularity as may be useful and practicable, estimates for the use of the said City Council of such sums of money as, in their judgment, may be required, and statements of the purposes for which said sums respectively are to be appropriated and applied.

SECT. 5. *Be it further ordained*, That whenever the Commissioners aforesaid shall take any lands, ponds or streams of water, for the purposes mentioned in the statute aforesaid, they shall, without unnecessary delay, make and deliver to the Mayor of the City of Boston, a certificate signed by them, containing a statement of the fact of such taking, and a description of the lands, ponds or streams so taken, as certain as is required in a common conveyance of lands, and a statement of the purpose for which they are so taken, to the end that the Mayor aforesaid may cause such description and statement, signed by him, to be filed in the office of the Registry of Deeds, as required by the first section of the statute aforesaid.

SECT. 6. *Be it further ordained*, That in all suits, processes and questions in law or equity, which may be commenced, prosecuted or pending, by or against the City of Boston, in any court or before any other tribunal, for or by reason of any act, proceeding or contract of the Boston Water Commissioners aforesaid, or of the City of Boston, or for any other cause, arising from the execution of the powers and authority given by the provisions of the statute

aforesaid, the said Commissioners shall aid and assist the counsel employed to appear in behalf of the City, by giving information of all facts within their knowledge, and furnishing any documents, testimony and evidence in their possession or control, which may be material, important or useful in establishing the rights and protecting the interests of the said City.

SECT. 7. *Be it further ordained*, That the Boston Water Commissioners aforesaid, shall enter, or cause to be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and which shall be subject to the inspection and examination of the Standing Committee of the City Council on Water, or of any other committee appointed by the City Council for that purpose, a journal, account or record of all rules, orders, votes, appointments, resolutions and other official acts, which may, from time to time, be adopted by them; and the said Commissioners shall, at the beginning of each month, during their continuance in office, make a report in writing to the said Standing Committee, of their proceedings during the month next preceding such report. And the said Standing Committee shall, at the expiration of each period of three months, make a written report to the City Council, upon the matters committed to them.

SECT. 8. *Be it further ordained*, That the Boston Water Commissioners shall be, and they are hereby authorized to draw bills or orders on the Treasurer of the City, for such sums of money as may from time to time be necessary for the payment of the current costs and expenses of performing the work and executing and accomplishing the purposes provided for, in and by the statute aforesaid, which drafts or bills shall be countersigned by the Mayor before payment thereof, and approved in the usual mode now adopted in the financial arrangements of the City.

SECT. 9. *Be it further ordained*, That this ordinance and all its provisions, shall be subject to such revision, alteration, amendment, or repeal, at the discretion of the City Council of the City of Boston, aforesaid, as shall not

be inconsistent with the provisions of the act of the Legislature of Massachusetts aforesaid.

[*Passed April* 21, 1846.]

An Ordinance providing for the appointment of a City Solicitor, and prescribing his duties.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled,* That in the month of June, annually, and whenever a vacancy in the office shall occur, there shall be chosen, by concurrent vote of both branches of the City Council, a Solicitor for the City of Boston, who shall be a resident citizen thereof, and who shall have been admitted an attorney and counsellor of the Courts of the Commonwealth, and who shall not hold any other office under the City government, during the period for which he is elected; and he shall be removable at the pleasure of the City Council.

SECT. 2. *Be it further ordained,* That it shall be the duty of said City Solicitor, by himself, or by some person by him duly authorized, for whose conduct, skill and faithfulness, he shall be accountable, to draft all bonds, deeds, obligations, contracts, leases, conveyances, agreements, and other legal instruments, of whatever nature, which may be required of him, by any ordinance or order of the Mayor and Aldermen, or of the City Council, or which by any ordinance or order heretofore passed may be requisite to be done and made by the City of Boston, and any person or persons contracting with the City in its corporate capacity, and which by law, usage or agreement, the City is to be at the expense of drawing.

SECT. 3. *Be it further ordained,* That it shall be the duty of said City Solicitor to commence and prosecute all

actions and suits to be commenced by the City before any tribunal in this Commonwealth, whether in law or equity; and also to appear in, defend and advocate the rights and interests of the City, or any of the officers of the City, in any suit or prosecution for any act or omission in the discharge of their official duties, wherein any estate, right, privilege, ordinances or acts of the City Government or any breach of any ordinance may be brought in question. And said Solicitor shall also appear before the Legislature of the Commonwealth, or any committee thereof, whether of either or both branches of the same, and there in behalf of the City represent, answer for, defend, and advocate the interests and welfare of said City, whenever the same may be directly or incidentally affected, whether to prosecute or defend the same, and he shall in all matters do all and every professional act, incident to the office which may be required of him by the City Government, or by any joint or special committee thereof, or by any ordinance or order heretofore passed; and he shall, when required, furnish the Mayor and Aldermen, the Common Council, or any joint or special committee of either branch thereof—and to any officer of the City Government, who may require it in the official discharge of his duties, with his legal opinion on any subject touching the duties of their respective offices.

SECT. 4. *Be it further ordained*, That in full compensation for all the services of said Solicitor, he shall receive such salary as the City Council may from time to time fix and determine. In all cases, however, when his attendance may be required out of the City, his reasonable travelling expenses shall be allowed him; and in suits and prosecutions he shall be entitled to receive and retain for his own use the legal taxable costs which may be recovered of the adverse party, where the City shall recover the same, according to the usage and practice of the courts.

SECT. 5. *Be it further ordained*, That all ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance or any provision thereof, be and the same are hereby repealed, [*Passed April* 29, 1846.]

An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance relating to the Boston Lunatic Hospital.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. The Superintendent of the Boston Lunatic Hospital shall, in the month of December annually, report to the Board of Visiters of said institution, upon such matters as they may direct in reference to the general state of the Hospital, and condition of the inmates during the preceding year, ending on the thirtieth day of November; and said Board of Visiters shall communicate said report, with such further information as they may deem important, to the City Council forthwith.

SECT. 2. That so much of the 4th section of an ordinance passed October 3d, 1842, as is inconsistent with this ordinance, is hereby repealed. [*Passed June* 4, 1846.]

An Ordinance for the regulation of Faneuil Hall Market.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. That the Mayor and Aldermen shall annually, in the month of June or July, appoint a Clerk of Faneuil Hall Market, who shall be removable at their pleasure, and shall receive such compensation for his services as the City Council shall annually direct.

SECT. 2. The Clerk of Faneuil Hall Market shall, whenever authorized by the Mayor and Aldermen, employ

one or more Deputies, who shall be approved by the Mayor and Aldermen, and who shall have power and authority to assist the Clerk in the execution of his office, and, on any occasion, when said Clerk is not present, to officiate for him in his stead, and to perform his duties; but no Deputy shall remain in office longer than during the approbation of the Mayor and Aldermen, and the said Clerk shall be responsible for the conduct of each of his Deputies, and such Deputies shall receive such compensation for their services as the City Council shall annually direct.

SECT. 3. The Clerk of Faneuil Hall Market, and his Deputies, shall, under the control of the Mayor and Aldermen, have the care and superintendence of said Market; and it shall be their duty to preserve order in said Market, and to execute and carry into effect all the regulations, orders and ordinances, which may be duly made and established from time to time by the City Council, or the Mayor and Aldermen, for the due regulation of the same; and it shall be their duty to enter and prosecute complaints for any violations of said regulations, orders and ordinances.

SECT. 4. The limits of Faneuil Hall Market shall include the lower floor, porches and cellars of the building called Faneuil Hall Market, and the streets on each side thereof called North Market Street and South Market Street, and that part of Commercial Street which is between Long Wharf and Clinton Street, and also Merchants Row.

SECT. 5. The said Clerk and his Deputies, under the direction of the Mayor and Aldermen, shall have the control of all carts, wagons, sleighs and other vehicles and carriages, within the limits of Faneuil Hall Market, and may assign stands within the limits of the said Market for the sale of provisions and other articles; and no person shall occupy any stand other than such as may be assigned him, or keep any cart, wagon, sleigh, or other vehicle or carriage, horse, or other beast, within the limits of said Market, for any longer space of time, or shall range or locate them in any other manner or form, than such as may be

directed by said Clerk or either of his Deputies; and said Clerk and his Deputies shall have power and authority to remove from place to place within the limits, (if the owner or possessors thereof neglect or refuse after request so to remove them, or if the owner or possessor be absent therefrom) all such carts, wagons, sleighs, vehicles and carriages, with their contents remaining therein, and all horses and other beasts, as shall be ranged or formed in any other manner than as directed by said Clerk or either of his Deputies, and the owner or person having charge of any box, barrel, cask, crate, basket, package, tub, or other vessel, whether empty or not, incumbering any place within the limits of said Market House used as passage ways either in the said House, or the passage ways to and from said House to the middle of the streets, or on the side walks beyond three feet from the walls of said House, shall, when directed by said Clerk or either of his Deputies, remove the same with their contents, or cause the same with their contents to be removed without delay, as the said Clerk or either of his Deputies may direct; and in case of neglect or refusal so to do by such owner or possessor, or the absence of them for more than an hour's time, the owner or possessor thereof, besides being liable for the penalty hereinafter mentioned for violation of this ordinance, shall be liable to pay the expense of such removal by the Clerk or either of his Deputies, and the keeping of the same, and shall not be entitled to re-delivery or possession of such property so removed by the clerk or either of his Deputies, until the expenses of such removal and keeping are paid; and if said expenses are not paid within twenty-four hours after such removal, so much of said property so removed may be sold at public auction, after being advertised for twenty-four hours, as may be necessary to produce the amount in money of said expenses of the removal and keeping, and the costs and charges of the sale and advertising thereof; and the residue of said property shall be subject to the disposal of the owner or person having charge thereof.

Sect. 6. All horses and other beasts shall be taken

from the carts, wagons, sleighs and other vehicles having provisions or articles of any kind for sale therein, and which shall stand within the limits aforesaid; and the same shall be conducted to a stable, or otherwise removed from said limits, by the owner or driver having charge of the same; and it shall be lawful for the said Clerk or either of his Deputies, whenever he, or either of them, shall find any cart, wagon, sleigh, vehicle or other carriage, or any ox, horse or other beast, standing or being within the said limits in a manner or in a place not authorized by law and by the ordinances of said City, and not permitted by the consent and direction of said Clerk or either of his Deputies, or abandoned and left unprotected for more than one hour's time, or found within the limits of the Market on any part of the Lord's day or evening, to cause such cart, wagon, sleigh, vehicle, or other carriage with its contents therein, and such ox, horse or other beast, to be conducted to some stable or other suitable place; and the owner or person having the care or keeping thereof shall be liable to pay, before the redelivery thereof to him, the entire cost and expense of the removal and keeping thereof, during the time it shall be in said stable or other suitable place, together with such further sum of money to the City, not exceeding Two Dollars, for the trouble arising in that behalf, as the said Clerk or either of his Deputies shall demand, the same to be paid to, and accounted for by, said Clerk or his Deputies, to said City.

SECT. 7. No person shall at any time, without the permission of said Clerk or either of his Deputies, occupy any stand within the limits of said Market, with cart, wagon, sleigh, vehicle, carriage, bench, box, basket, barrel, cask, crate, tub, or other vessel or otherwise, for the purpose of vending any articles within the limits of said Market, unless he shall, before selling or offering for sale such articles, satisfy the Clerk or either of his Deputies, upon the request of either of them by legal proof, or his own certificate in writing, that all the said articles, enumerating them, are the produce of his own farm, or of some farm not more distant than three miles from his own dwelling house; and

every person occupying any such stand in any of the above-mentioned manners, or with any of said carriages or vessels, contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance, shall, when directed by the said Clerk or either of his Deputies, forthwith remove without the limits of said Market, and cause his cart, or other carriage, and all his boxes and other vessels, with their contents also, to be removed out of the limits of said Market; and if said certificate be false, the signer thereof shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding Twenty Dollars, and also the said Clerk and his Deputies shall have power and authority to remove the same in the manner provided in the fifth and sixth sections of this Ordinance, or either of them.

Sect. 8. When any person occupying any stand in the streets within the limits of said Market shall employ any agent or servant to sell in said Market any articles for him, or on his account, such servant or agent shall not sell any articles upon account of or for any other person than the person so employing him, nor shall any person occupying a stand as aforesaid, or his servant or agent, be permitted to purchase any provisions or other articles within the limits of said Market, for the purpose of selling the same therein again, or exposing the same therein for sale, or permitting any person to sell the same for him therein; nor shall he be permitted to sell within said limits, or expose for sale therein, any provisions or other articles for, or on account of, any person not entitled to a stand therein by the terms of this Ordinance.

Sect. 9. All butter brought within the limits of said Market for sale, shall be sold by weight, and if it is in lumps, each lump shall contain one or more even or integral pounds, half or quarter pound's weight, and the Clerk and his Deputies shall have power and authority to take and weigh all butter in lumps so exposed for sale in said Market, and if found deficient in weight thereof, to destroy the form of said lumps.

Sect. 10. If any person shall, within the limits of said Market, sell, or offer to sell or exhibit for sale, any article which shall be deficient in the weight or measure for which

he sells the same or offers or exhibits the same for sale, or shall practice any fraudulent dealing within said limits, and shall be convicted thereof, or shall be convicted of any breach of this Ordinance, or either of the offences enumerated in it, he shall not be permitted to use or hire a stall, or have or occupy a stand within the limits of said Market, either as principal, servant or agent, for the purpose of selling or offering for sale any articles in said Market, for the term of one year from and after such conviction, unless specially authorized by the Mayor and Aldermen so to do, after such conviction, and their knowledge of the same.

SECT. 11. The several stalls in said Market shall be leased to the respective occupants by written leases, the conditions of which shall be prescribed by the Mayor and Aldermen; and the rent thereof, together with the rent of the cellars under said stalls, shall be paid to the said Clerk of the Market, or to such person as the Mayor and Aldermen shall appoint, and at such times as the Mayor and Aldermen shall determine; and such lessees shall not underlet the same, or any part of said stalls or cellars, nor permit the same, or any part thereof, to be occupied by any other person without the assent of the Mayor and Aldermen, under the penalty of forfeiting the right to their respective cellars, stalls and leases.

SECT. 12. The said lessees shall not throw, or permit to be thrown, or to remain within the precincts of their respective stalls, any offal, animal substance, scrapings, or any kind of dirt, filth, useless or offensive matter, but shall forthwith remove the same, or cause the same to be deposited in some tight vessel, to be approved of by the said Clerk or either of his Deputies, and to be removed by said lessee as the said Clerk or either of his Deputies shall direct.

SECT. 13. No person shall throw or sweep any offal, animal or vegetable substance, scrapings or sweepings, damaged salt or pickle, or foul water, from the stalls or cellars into the passage ways, or on the side walks, or into the streets adjoining said Market House, at any time during the day or night. Nor shall any person within the limits

of said Market, sell, or offer to sell or expose for sale, or have in his possession, any meat, fish, bread, vegetables, tallow, skins, pelts, poultry or other articles, which, in the opinion of said Clerk or either of his Deputies, shall be diseased, corrupted, tainted or unwholesome; but such person shall, when directed by said Clerk or either of his Deputies, forthwith remove all such articles from said limits to such suitable place as the said Clerk or either of his Deputies shall order; and if such person shall refuse or neglect to comply with such direction, or if the owner or person having charge of such articles be absent for more than one hour's time, the said Clerk or either of his Deputies shall forthwith remove the same or cause the same to be removed from said limits to such suitable place as aforesaid, at the expense of such person; and if in the judgment of said Clerk or either of his Deputies, it shall be necessary for the public health, it shall be their duty to destroy the same, and if any person shall hinder, obstruct or molest said Clerk or any of his Deputies in the premises, he shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Twenty Dollars for each offence.

Sect. 14. When the lessee of any stall or occupant of any cellar in said Market House, shall from any cause whatever vacate the same, or shall receive notice from the Mayor and Aldermen to vacate the same, or shall neglect or refuse to pay his rent for the space of twenty-four hours, or shall neglect or refuse to comply with any regulations established for the good order and cleanliness of the said Market House, and its entries, passage ways, side walks and the streets adjoining said House, the stall or stalls and cellar of such lessee shall thereupon revert to the City and be at the disposal of the Mayor and Aldermen.

Sect. 15. No person shall, within the walls of Faneuil Hall Market House, or on the side walks of the same, nor within the aforesaid limits of the said Market, play at any game, or lie down, or sleep, or behave in a disorderly, noisy or riotous manner; nor shall any person within the limits of said Market, smoke, or have in his possession, any lighted pipe or segar. And it shall be the duty of the said

Clerk and his Deputies to prevent idle and disorderly persons, itinerant pedlers, and transient persons selling newspapers, matches or other articles, or making outcries or noises, from frequenting or tarrying in said Market House or within the limits of said Market, and to cause all such persons so offending to be removed and to be prosecuted.

SECT. 16. No horse or other beast, and no cart, wagon, sleigh or other vehicle, shall be permitted to stand within the limits of said Market on any part of the Lord's Day or evening, nor shall any person continue to do business within the limits of said Market on any week day after the sunsetting of such day, excepting on Saturdays, and on the evenings immediately preceding Thanksgiving and Christmas days, nor on any evening after the closing of the Market House; and if any person shall place or leave any wagon, cart, sleigh or other vehicle, box, barrel, crate, cask or other vessel, empty or otherwise, within the limits of said market on any part of the Lord's day or evening, or any week day after sunset, excepting on Saturdays, and on the evenings immediately preceding Thanksgiving and Christmas days, or on any evening after the closing of the Market House, he shall forfeit a penalty not exceeding Twenty Dollars; and the said Clerk or either of his Deputies may cause the same to be removed, in the manner provided in the fifth and sixth sections of this Ordinance, or either of them.

SECT. 17. Lessees of stalls and occupants of stands shall not incumber the main passage way or cross passages within the said Market House, nor the passage ways outside of said House in front of the door ways and leading into the middle of the streets, nor any of the avenues leading to and from the said Market, with any casks, barrels, meat, or other articles or incumbrances.

SECT. 18. No person, unless duly authorized by the Mayor and Aldermen, shall stand in any of the streets, lanes, alleys, squares, or public places, of said City, with any cart, wagon, sleigh or other vehicle, horses or other beasts, having meat, poultry, vegetables or other articles of provision for sale; nor be allowed to place any stall, bench,

box, basket, barrel, block or table therein, on which to exhibit any such articles for sale.

SECT. 19. Every person offending against any of the provisions of this Ordinance, shall, in addition to the penalties before prescribed, forfeit and pay a sum not less than Two Dollars, nor more than Twenty Dollars, to be recovered on complaint before the Police Court of the City of Boston; but in no case shall all the penalties for one offence exceed the sum of Twenty Dollars.

SECT. 20. The Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the Regulation of Faneuil Hall Market," passed on the second day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, is hereby repealed; but no Ordinance or by-law which was repealed by the passing of the same shall be revived by the repeal thereof; and all officers appointed under said Ordinance shall continue to hold their offices until others are appointed in their stead; and the repeal of said Ordinance shall in nowise affect or terminate any prosecution now pending for the violation of any of its provisions. [*Passed October* 26, 1846.]

An Ordinance relating to the Preservation of Boston Harbor.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

There shall be appointed annually a Joint Standing Committee of the City Council, consisting of two members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council, whose duty it shall be to suggest such measures, and do and perform such acts, as may by them from time to time be deemed necessary for the preservation of Boston Harbor, and the security of the rights and

interests of the City therein; provided no expense shall be incurred exceeding the appropriation previously made by the City Council for these purposes.

[*Passed November* 12, 1846.]

An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance to provide for the care and management of the Public Lands.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. There shall be chosen annually in the month of February or March, and whenever a vacancy may occur, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the City Council, a Superintendent of Public Lands. He shall be removable at the pleasure of the City Council, and shall receive such compensation as the said City Council shall from time to time fix and determine.

SECT. 2. The said Superintendent shall execute and perform all the duties now required of the said officer by the Ordinance to which this is in addition, passed April 10, 1834.

SECT. 3. There shall be annually chosen in the month of April or May, and whenever a vacancy shall occur, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the City Council, a Superintendent of Public Buildings, who shall execute and perform all the duties prescribed for the said officer, by an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance to provide for the care and management of the Public Lands," passed September 17, 1840.

SECT. 4. The first section of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the care and management of the Public Lands," passed April 10th, 1834, and the first

section of an Ordinance in addition thereto, passed September 17, 1840, are hereby repealed.

[*Passed December* 24, 1846.]

An Ordinance relating to Printing.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. That there be appointed annually, in the month of January, a Joint Standing Committee of the City Council, to be called the Committee on Printing, consisting of one member of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and two members of the Common Council, whose duty it shall be to contract for the City Printing, to see that the work performed, and the materials provided, are in conformity with the terms of the contract; and to approve all bills for Printing.

SECT. 2. That the Committee on Printing be directed to advertise for sealed proposals for executing all the City Printing, said proposals to be sent to the City Auditor on or before the first day of February, 1847, according to the following scale, viz:

COMPOSITION, on all Book and Pamphlet work, Ordinances, Reports, &c., &c., per 1000 M's, -
(Rule and Figure work, and tabular work, to be charged double price for the composition. All work on Scrip Type to be measured in Bourgeois.)

PRESS WORK, of 250 sheets, (both sides) per token, - - - - - - - -
(All less than 250 sheets to be charged one token, all above pro rata.)

ALL BLANKS on Folio Post Paper, for 1 quire, -
For each additional quire to 17, - - -
For one Ream, and all over, per Ream, -
ALL BLANKS on Letter, Pot, or Foolscap Paper,
For one quire, - - - - - -
For each additional quire to 17, - - -
For one ream and all over, at - - -
ALL BLANKS and Billet notices on half a sheet of letter, or other paper, for 50 or a less number, -
For 100, - - - - - - - -
For each additional 100 copies, - - -
HAND BILLS, (quarto or otherwise) for 100 or less, -
For each additional 100 to 900, - - -
For 1000 copies and all over, at - - -
VOTING LISTS, three to each Ward, (37 forms) the usual number of copies (24) per form, - -
CARDS, of all sizes, per Pack, - - - -
NOTIFICATIONS for Ward and Public Meetings,
For one thousand, - - - - -
For each additional 1000, - - - -

All other work not herein enumerated, at proportional rates.

The paper used on the above work to be of as good quality as that used on the same class of work the past year.

Paper, Binding, and Stationery furnished, to be paid for at the market price, and vouchers to be produced when required. [*Passed December* 24, 1846.]

An Ordinance relating to the Public Health.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. Whenever any vessel shall arrive in the harbor of Boston, which is foul, and infected with any malignant or contagious disease, or any of whose crew or passengers are sick with any malignant or contagious disease, it shall be the duty of the Port Physician forthwith to cause the said vessel to be removed to the anchorage ground on the south side of Deer Island. And said vessel shall not be removed from said anchorage ground for the space of twenty days from the day of her examination by the Port Physician, unless by permission of the Mayor of the City; and no person belonging to such vessel shall land without such permission; any thing in an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to establish the office of Port Physician," passed on the seventeenth day of June, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, or an Ordinance in addition thereto, passed on the twentieth day of December in the same year, to the contrary notwithstanding. And any person violating the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be liable to the penalties set forth in the tenth section of the first mentioned ordinance.

SECT. 2. The Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Boston, for the time being, are hereby appointed Health Commissioners of the said City, and shall have and exercise all the power conferred upon them by an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance prescribing rules and regulations relative to nuisances, sources of filth and causes of sickness, within the City of Boston," passed on the seventh day of October, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-three, and an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the interment of the dead," passed on the twenty-sixth day of September, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-three,

which ordinances are hereby confirmed, and declared to be in full force. [*Passed June* 8, 1847.]

An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance, to regulate the proceedings of the Commissioners for supplying the City of Boston with Pure Water.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. The Joint Committee on Public Lands, in concurrence with the Water Commissioners, are hereby authorized to make sale, conveyance, or lease of any lands or property which may have been purchased, or conveyed to the City, for the purpose of introducing water, or that may hereafter be so purchased or conveyed, the proceeds of such sales to be applied to the purposes of the Act for supplying the City of Boston with Pure Water. Provided, that this Ordinance shall not be construed to authorize the sale or conveyance of any land taken for reservoirs.

[*Passed July*, 1847.]

An Ordinance concerning the Assessment of Taxes.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. In the month of March, annually, there shall be chosen, by concurrent vote of the City Government, by ballot, not less than three Assessors of the Public Taxes;

and also not less than twenty-four Assistant Assessors, two of whom shall reside in each ward, and hold their offices until otherwise ordered by the City Government. And in case of any vacancy in either of said offices, by death, resignation, or otherwise, the said vacancy shall be filled in the manner above prescribed. And each of the said officers shall be removable at the pleasure of the City Government, and shall receive such compensation as the City Council may from time to time order.

SECT. 2. The Assessors and Assistant Assessors shall meet as soon as practicable after their election, and organize themselves into a Board, by the choice of a Chairman and Secretary. And a majority of the Board present at any meeting, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and to make such rules and regulations as a majority may approve, not repugnant to the laws of this Commonwealth, or to the provisions of this Ordinance. Also, they shall assess all taxable property agreeably to the laws of this Commonwealth.

SECT. 3. It shall be the duty of one or more of the said Assistant Assessors, to visit in company with one or more of the Assessors, or with such other person or persons, as the Assessors may with the concurrence of the Joint Standing Committee on the Assessors' Department appoint to perform that duty, the different estates in their respective wards, and to assist the Assessors, or such appointed person or persons, in taking a list of polls, in estimating the value of their personal property, and in appraising the value of the real estate.

SECT. 4. All abatements of taxes which shall be at any time allowed, shall be recorded by the Assessors, and the record thereof shall contain the names of all persons whose taxes shall be abated in whole or in part, and the amount originally assessed, and the amount of abatements; and that all the reasons for abatement shall be stated on the said record, against the name of each person whose tax shall be abated; and that this record shall be laid before the City Government annually, before the election of Assessors for the year ensuing.

SECT. 5. It shall be the duty of the Assessors to make out Tax bills and deliver them to the Treasurer and Collector for Taxes assessed on all persons, on or before the first day of September in each year.

SECT. 6. The said Assessors may, at their discretion, transfer the amount of taxes assessed on real estate, not owned at the time of assessment by the persons charged with such taxes, to the persons by whom the said real estates were owned at the time.

SECT. 7. The said Assessors shall assess upon the owners of real estate, lying within the City, the amount of taxes for which such real estate may be taxable. Provided, that in any case where the Assessors may deem it to be more for the public interest to assess the tenant or occupant, instead of the owner, they may so assess such tenant or occupant. And provided also, that nothing herein shall affect the rights which owners and tenants may have between themselves respectively, by reason of any agreement made between themselves concerning such taxes.

SECT. 8. Section ten of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance concerning the Assessment and Collection of Taxes, passed May 16, 1836," be, and the same hereby is repealed.

SECT. 9. All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances, that are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed. [*Passed July*, 1847.]

An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance, for Preventing and Extinguishing Fires and Establishing a Fire Department.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. No person shall hereafter be admitted into the Fire Department, who is not a legal voter in the City of Boston. [*Passed December*, 1847.]

An Ordinance in addition to an Ordinance regulating the Survey and Admeasurement of Lumber brought into the City of Boston by Water, for sale. Passed July 25, 1842.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. That the Surveyor General of Lumber for the City of Boston, shall have the power to appoint one or more Deputy Surveyors of Lumber, in addition to the eighteen which the Surveyor General is authorized to appoint, by the second section of an Ordinance, passed July 25, 1842; Provided, however, that the number so appointed shall not exceed four. [*Passed December*, 1847.]

An Order concerning Hackney Carriages, &c.

In Board of Aldermen, July 12, 1847.

Ordered, That the following regulations be, and the same are hereby adopted under and by virtue of an Act of the Legislature of this Commonwealth entitled, "An act to prevent obstructions in the streets of cities and to regulate Hackney Coaches and other vehicles,"—that is to say:—

SECT. 1. Every Hack, Stage Coach, Omnibus, Cab, Chariot, Coachee, Landau, or other vehicle, whether on wheels or runners, drawn by one or more horses, or other animal power, which shall be used in the City of Boston for the conveyance of persons for hire, shall be deemed a Hackney Carriage within the meaning of these regulations.

SECT. 2. No person shall set up, use, or drive in the City of Boston, any Hackney Carriage for the conveyance of persons for hire without a license from the Mayor and Aldermen, under a penalty of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, every time such carriage is used.

SECT. 3. The Mayor and Aldermen for the time being will from time to time grant licenses to such persons and upon such terms as they shall deem expedient, to set up, use or drive Hackney Carriages for hire within the City of Boston, and they may revoke such licenses at their discretion; and a record of all licenses so granted shall be kept by the City Marshal.

SECT. 4. No such license shall be granted to any person who is not a citizen of the United States, and who is not of the age of twenty-one years.

SECT. 5. All licenses, granted as aforesaid, shall expire on the first day of July next after the date thereof, and no license shall be sold, assigned or transferred, without the consent of the Mayor and Aldermen endorsed thereon, by the City Clerk, for which a fee of one dollar shall be paid.

SECT. 6. The person, in whose name a license is taken out for a Hackney Carriage, shall, for all the purposes of these orders, be considered as the owner of the same, and liable to all forfeitures and penalties herein contained, unless upon the sale of his carriage, notice be given thereof to the City Clerk, and the license delivered up to him.

SECT. 7. That each license of any Omnibus belonging to any line may specify the time that said Omnibus shall leave their stand, and no Omnibus shall leave the stands designated for them, until five minutes shall have elapsed after the departure of the Omnibus immediately preceding, under a penalty of not less than two nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECT. 8. Every person who may be licensed as aforesaid, shall pay for the use of the City for each Hackney Carriage which such person shall keep for hire, and which stands on the owner's premises, the sum of one dollar, and the like sum for the renewal thereof; and for every Hackney Carriage or Omnibus which belongs to any line and capable of carrying not to exceed fourteen passengers, and which has a stand in any street or square, the sum of two dollars, and the like sum for the renewal thereof; and for every Omnibus which belongs to any line capable of carrying more than fourteen passengers, the sum of five dol-

lars, and the like sum for the renewal thereof; and for every Cab or other Carriage capable of carrying not to exceed four passengers, with their baggage, drawn by one horse, which has a stand in any street or square, the sum of twenty dollars, and the like sum for the renewal thereof; and if drawn by more than one horse or other animal, the sum of twenty-five dollars, and the like sum for the renewal thereof; and all the drivers of all such Carriages except Omnibuses belonging to a line which have a stand in any street or square, shall be licensed as such, and shall not be allowed to drive any such vehicle without such license.

SECT. 9. Every licensed Hackney Carriage shall be marked and numbered in the manner following, viz. Every licensed Hack or Landau which stands on the owner's premises, shall be numbered on the outside, and upon each side on the sill, or rocker, immediately below the doors, with the number of the license, with white, gilded or plated figures in the Arabic character of not less than $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in size on a dark ground, or a dark figure of the same kind and size upon a light ground, and no other figure or device within four inches of the same. And all stage coaches shall be numbered in like manner, on the top rail of the doors. And all Omnibuses shall be numbered in like manner, in the centre of the lower panel of the door. And all Cabs shall be numbered in the centre of the top panel of the door, immediately below the glass. And every licensed Hackney Carriage, when driven or used in the night time, shall have fixed upon some conspicuous part of the outside thereof, two lighted lamps, with plain glass fronts, and sides, and having the number of the license of such Hackney Carriage in figures, of at least one and one half inches in size, of the like character, painted with black paint upon the sides and front of each of said lamps in such a manner that the same may be distinctly seen and known, when the said Hackney Carriage may be standing or driving. And the name of the owner and driver, and the number of the license, together with the rates of fare, shall be printed on a card, and placed in all Hackney Carriages, in the most conspicuous place for the information of

passengers. And if any owner or driver of any licensed Hackney Carriage shall use or drive any such carriage, or permit the same to be used and driven, without complying with the foregoing requisitions, or use or drive, or permit to be used and driven, any such carriage in the night time, without its lamps being lighted and numbered as aforesaid, said owner and driver shall be liable to a fine of not less than two nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECT. 10. If any owner or driver of any licensed Hackney Carriage, shall drive his carriage, or permit the same to be driven on any other route or street than that designated in his license, they or either of them shall be liable to pay a fine of not less than two, nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECT. 11. No person, whether owner or driver of any licensed Hackney Carriage, while waiting on his stand, for employment, or in any street, or whenever his horses may be harnessed to his Carriage, shall leave such carriage and horses unless it be in the care of some suitable person, under a penalty of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars for every such offence.

SECT. 12. No owner or driver of any licensed Hackney Carriage, shall stand with such carriage, in any place within the City to be employed, other than the stand assigned to such carriage by the Mayor and Aldermen, nor shall any carriage belonging to any line of coaches stop on any part of the route assigned them, unless called by, or to leave a passenger, and then for no longer time than may be sufficient for such passenger to take his or her seat, or leave such carriage, under a penalty of not less than two, nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECT. 13. No owner or driver of any Hackney Carriage, shall stop his carriage abreast of any other carriage, in any street within the City, nor shall any such owner or driver, stop his carriage in any street, square, lane or alley, so as to obstruct such street, square, lane or alley, or the flagstone or crossings, under a penalty of not less than two, nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECT. 14. Every driver of a licensed Hackney Car-

riage which has a stand in any street or square, at any Rail Road Depot, Steam Boat Landing, Theatre or Museum, shall at all times, when driving or waiting for employment, wear a badge on his hat or cap, with the number of his carriage thereon, in brass or plated figures, of not less than one inch and a half in size, and so placed that the same may be distinctly seen and known and read; under a penalty of not less than two nor more than twenty dollars.

Sect 15. The prices or rates of fare to be taken by or paid to the owner or driver of any licensed carriage, except Omnibuses, shall be as follows, that is to say:— For carrying a passenger from one place to another, within the City proper, or South Boston or East Boston, twenty-five cents, and to or from South Boston and East Boston, thirty-seven and a half cents, exclusive of tolls. For children between three and twelve years of age, if more than one, or if accompanied by an adult, half-price only is to be charged for each child; and for children under three years of age, when accompanied by their parents, or any adult, no charge is to be made. Every driver or owner of any licensed carriage, shall carry with each passenger, one trunk, and a valise, saddle bag, carpet bag, portmanteau, box, bundle, basket, or other article used in travelling, if he be requested so to do, without charge or compensation therefor; but for every trunk, or other such article as above named, more than two, he shall be entitled to demand and receive the sum of five cents.

Sect. 16. The stands and routes for Omnibuses shall be as follows, that is to say:—

Roxbury Lines Stand. The easterly side of Tremont street, near King's Chapel burying ground. The route for all two horse coaches shall be down Tremont street to School, down School to Washington, through Washington or Tremont street to Roxbury, and return by the same route. All four horse coaches to go down Tremont street to West, then through West to Washington, through Washington street to Roxbury, and return by the same route.

Jamaica Plain, Brighton and Brookline Lines Stand. The westerly side of Tremont street near the Granary burying ground. The route of the Jamaica Plain, Brigh-

ton and Brookline Omnibuses, shall be through Tremont street, or over the Mill Dam to Roxbury, and return by the same route.

Cambridge and Charlestown Omnibuses Stand. The northerly side of Brattle street. The route of the Cambridge Omnibuses shall be through Court, Green, Chambers and Cambridge streets. The route of the Charlestown Omnibuses shall be through Brattle square, Elm, Hanover, Union and Haverhill streets. The stand of Harvard street line of Cambridge Omnibuses shall be on the easterly side of Tremont street. The route of Harvard street line shall be through Tremont, Court, Green, Chambers and Cambridge streets.

Washington Street Omnibuses Stand. The westerly end of Faneuil Hall. Route, through Washington street.

Chelsea Line Stand. Market square. Route, to and from Chelsea.

Dorchester Line Stand. The northerly side of Franklin street. Route, through Franklin, Arch, Summer and Sea streets, to South Boston, and return by the same route, with the exception of one Coach which runs through Franklin and Washington street to South Boston, and returns by the same route.

East Cambridge Line Stand. The northerly side of Brattle street. Route, through Brattle, Court, Green and Leverett streets, and return by the same route.

South Boston Line Stand. The northerly side of Cornhill street. The route for all two horse Coaches shall be through Court, Washington, Summer, Lincoln, Kneeland and Sea streets, and return by the same route. For the four horse Coaches, the route shall be through Court, Washington, Bedford and Rowe streets and Harrison avenue, and return by the same route.

Dover Street and Chelsea Ferry Line Stand. Chelsea Ferry. Route, through Hanover, Court and Washington street, and return by the same route.

Dover Street and Lowell Railroad Line Stand. Lowell Railroad Depot. Route, through Lowell, Minot, Leverett, Green, Court and Washington streets, and return by the same route.

RECENT LAWS.

An Act concerning the House for the Reformation and Employment of Juvenile Offenders in the City of Boston.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. The City of Boston is hereby authorized to establish, in any building or buildings, or part of any building, used by said City, as a House of Industry, or for any other purpose, a separate branch or branches of said House of Reformation and Employment for Females, or for the separate classification of such females.

SECT. 2. The Municipal or Police Court of said City, upon the complaint, under oath, of the Mayor, or any Alderman thereof, or of any of the Directors of the House of Industry, or of the said House of Reformation and Employment, or of the Overseers of the Poor of said City, that any child or children live an idle and dissolute life, and that their parents are dead, or, if living, do, from vice, or any other cause, neglect to provide suitable employment for, or to exercise salutary control over, such child or children, shall have power, upon conviction thereof, to sentence such child, or children, to such House of Reformation and Employment, to be kept and governed according to law.

SECT. 3. Nothing herein is to be construed to take away the right of appeal, in the cases aforesaid, from the Police Court to the Municipal Court aforesaid.

[*Approved by the Governor, March* 21, 1843.]

An Act relating to the Registry and Returns of Births, Marriages, and Deaths.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. The Clerks of the several Cities and Towns in this Commonwealth shall, annually, in the month of June, transmit to the Secretary of the Commonwealth a certified copy of their record of births, marriages and deaths, which have occurred within their respective Cities and Towns during the year next preceding the first day of said month.

The births shall be numbered and recorded in the order in which they are received by the Clerk. The record of births shall state in separate columns the date of the birth, the place of birth, the name of the child, (if it have any,) the sex of the child, name and surname of one or both of the parents, occupation of the father, residence of the parents, and the time when the record was made.

The marriages shall be numbered and recorded in the order in which they are received by the Clerk. The record of marriages shall state in separate columns, the date of the marriage, the place of the marriage, the name, residence and official station of the person by whom married, the names and surnames of the parties, the residence of each, the age of each, the condition of each, (whether single or widowed,) the occupation, names of the parents, and the time when the record was made.

The deaths shall be numbered and recorded in the order in which they are received by the Clerk. The record of deaths shall state in separate columns the date of the death, the name and surname of the deceased, the sex, condition, (whether single or married,) age, occupation, place of death, place of birth, names of the parents, disease or causes of death, and the time when the record was made.

SECT. 2. The School Committee of each City or Town

shall, annually, in the month of May, ascertain from actual inquiry or otherwise, all the births which have happened within such City or Town, during the year next preceding the first day of said May, together with the facts concerning births required by the first section of this act, and shall make an accurate return thereof to the Clerk of such City or Town, on or before the last day of said May; and the said School Committee, or other person authorized by them to make such returns, shall be entitled to receive from the Treasury of such City or Town, five cents for each and every birth so returned.

SECT. 3. Every justice, minister and clerk, or keeper of the records of the meeting wherein any marriages among the Friends or Quakers shall be solemnized, shall make a record of each marriage solemnized before him, together with all the facts relating to marriages required by the first section of this act; and each such justice, minister, clerk or keeper, shall, between the first and tenth days of each month, return a copy of the record for the month next preceding, to the Clerk of the City or Town in which the marriage was solemnized; and every person as aforesaid, who shall neglect to make the returns required by this section, shall be liable to the penalty provided in the eighteenth section of the seventy-fifth chapter of the Revised Statutes.

SECT. 4. Each sexton, or other person, having the charge of any burial ground in this Commonwealth, shall, on or before the tenth day of each month, make returns of all the facts required by the first section of this act, connected with the death of any person whose burial he may have superintended during the month next preceding, to the Clerk of the City or Town in which such deceased person resided at the time of his death. And such sexton, or other person, shall be entitled to receive from the Treasury of the City or Town to which the return is made, five cents for the return of each death made agreeaby to the provisions of this act.

SECT. 5. The Clerk of each City or Town shall be entitled to receive from the Treasury of such City or Town,

eight cents for the record of each birth and death: *provided* such Clerk shall comply with this act in all respects.

SECT. 6. It shall be the duty of the Clerks of the several Cities and Towns, to make such distribution of blank forms of returns as shall be designated by the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

SECT. 7. The Secretary of the Commonwealth shall prepare and furnish to the Clerks of the several Cities and Towns in this Commonwealth, blank books of suitable quality and size, to be used as books of record, according to the provisions of this act, and also blank forms of returns, as herein before specified, and shall accompany the same with such instructions and explanations as may be necessary and useful; and he shall receive said returns, and prepare therefrom such tabular results, as will render them of practical utility, and shall make report thereof annually to the Legislature, and generally shall do whatever may be required to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

SECT. 8. Any Clerk who shall neglect to comply with the requirements of this act, shall be liable to a penalty of ten dollars, to be recovered for the use of any City or Town where such neglect shall be proved to have existed.

SECT. 9. An act entitled "An Act relating to the Registry of Births and Marriages, and Deaths," passed on the third day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-two, is hereby repealed.

SECT. 10. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved by the Governor, March* 16, 1844.]

An Act concerning Alien Passengers.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

The Treasurer of every Town and City in this Common-

wealth, shall pay into the Treasury of the Commonwealth, the sums now remaining in their hands, received from Alien Passengers; and said Town and City Treasurers shall annually, hereafter, in the month of May, pay into the Treasury of the Commonwealth, all balances remaining in their hands, under the provisions of the two hundred and thirty-eighth chapter of the statutes of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven.

[*Approved by the Governor, February* 26, 1845.]

An Act regulating the use of Steam Engines and Furnaces.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. No furnace for melting of iron, or stationary steam engine, designed for use in any mill for the planing or sawing of boards, or turning of wood in any form, or when any other fuel than coal is used to create steam, shall hereafter be erected, or put up to be used, in any City or Town in this Commonwealth, unless the Mayor and Aldermen of such City, or Selectmen of such Town, shall have previously granted license therefor, designating the place where the building or buildings shall be erected, in which such steam engine or furnace shall be used, the materials and construction thereof, and such other provisions and limitations, as to the height of flues, and protection against fire, as they shall judge necessary for the safety of the neighborhood; such license to be granted on written application, and to be recorded in the records of such City or Town.

SECT. 2. Whenever the Mayor and Aldermen of any City, or the Selectmen of any Town, after due notice in writing to the owner of any such steam engine or furnace here-

tofore erected, or in use, and a hearing of the matter, shall adjudge the same to be dangerous, or a nuisance to the neighborhood, they may make and record an order, prescribing such rules, restrictions and alterations, as to the building in which such steam engine or furnace is constructed or used, the construction and height of its smoke flues, or other provisions, as they shall deem the safety of the neighborhood to require: and it shall be the duty of the City or Town Clerk to deliver a copy of such order to a constable, who shall serve such owner with an attested copy thereof, and make return of his doings thereon to said clerk, within three days from the delivery thereof to him.

SECT. 3. Any such engine or furnace hereafter erected without license, made and recorded as aforesaid in section first, shall be deemed and taken to be a common nuisance, without any other proof thereof than proof of its use; and any steam engine or furnace used contrary to the provisions of section second of this act, shall be taken and deemed to be a common nuisance.

SECT. 4. The Mayor and Aldermen of any City, or Selectmen of any Town, shall have the same power and authority to abate and remove any such steam engine or furnace erected or used contrary to the provisions of this act, as are given to the Board of Health, in the tenth and eleventh sections of the twenty-first chapter of the Revised Statutes.

SECT. 5. Whenever application shall be made for license as aforesaid, the Mayor and Aldermen of any City, or Selectmen of any Town, shall assign a time and place for the consideration of the same, and shall cause public notice thereof to be given at least fourteen days beforehand, in such manner as said Mayor and Aldermen or Selectmen may direct, and at the expense of the applicant, in order that all persons interested may be heard before the granting of a license.

SECT. 6. Any owner of a steam engine or furnace, aggrieved by any such order, as provided in section second of this act, may apply to the Court of Common Pleas, if sitting in the county, in which such engine or furnace is

situated, or to any justice thereof in vacation, for a jury, and such court or justice shall issue a warrant for a jury to be impannelled by the sheriff, in the same manner as is provided in the twenty-fourth chapter of the Revised Statutes, in regard to the laying out of highways; such application shall be made within three days after such order is served upon the said owner; and the said jury shall be impannelled within fourteen days from the issuing of said warrant.

SECT. 7. Upon any application to said Court of Common Pleas, or to any justice thereof, for a jury, said court or justice, on granting the same, may, in its or his discretion, issue an injunction restraining the further use of said engine or furnace, until the final determination of such application by the jury and court to which such verdict may be returned.

SECT. 8. The jury shall find a verdict either affirming or annulling the said order in full, or making alterations therein, as they may see fit; which verdict shall be returned to the next term of the said court by the sheriff for acceptance, in like manner as in the case of highways, and, which verdict being accepted, shall be binding to the same effect as the original order would have been without such appeal.

SECT. 9. If the verdict shall affirm such order, costs shall be recovered by the City or Town against such applicant; if the verdict shall annul such order in whole, damages and costs shall be recovered by the complainant against such City or Town; and in case the verdict shall alter such order in part, the court may render such judgment as to costs, as to justice shall appertain.

SECT. 10. This act shall not be in force in any Town or City, unless the inhabitants of the Town, or the City Council of the City, shall adopt the same at a legal meeting of said inhabitants or City Council called for that purpose.

SECT. 11. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved by the Governor, March* 25, 1845. *Adopted by the City, April* 21, 1845.]

An Act providing, in certain cases, for the Election of City Officers.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. Whenever it shall appear, by the regular returns of the elections of the City officers, in any City in this Commonwealth, which, by a vote of its City Councils, shall adopt this act, that a Mayor has not been chosen, or that a full Board of Aldermen has not been elected, such of the Board of Aldermen, whether they constitute a quorum or not, as may have been chosen, shall issue their warrant, in usual form, for the election of a Mayor, or such members of the Board of Aldermen as may be necessary, and the same proceedings shall be had and repeated, until the election of a Mayor and Aldermen shall be completed, and all vacancies be filled in the said Board; and in case neither a Mayor nor any Aldermen shall be elected at the usual time for electing the same, and after the powers of the former Mayor, and Mayor and Aldermen, shall have ceased, it shall be the duty of the President of the Common Council, to issue his warrant, in the same manner as the Board of Aldermen would have done, if elected, and the same proceedings shall be had and repeated, until a Mayor, or one or more Aldermen, shall be elected.

SECT. 2. Whenever it shall appear to the Mayor and Aldermen, that there is a vacancy in either the Board of Aldermen, or in the Common Council, or in any of the City or Ward offices, it shall be the duty of the Mayor and Aldermen to issue their warrant for elections, in due form, to fill all such vacancies in each and all of the said Boards and offices, at such time and place as in their judgment may be deemed advisable.

SECT. 3. It shall be the duty of all Ward officers, authorized to preside and act at such elections, to attend and

perform their respective duties, at the times and places appointed for elections of any officers, whether of the United States, State, City, or Wards, and to make and sign the regular returns of the same; and in case of the absence of any or either of the Ward officers, at any meeting for elections, or other purposes, such office may be filled, pro tempore, by the legal voters present, which may be done by nomination and hand votes, if the voters present so determine.

SECT. 4. In case of the non-election of a Mayor, the Chairman of the Board of Aldermen shall discharge all the duties incumbent on the Mayor of the City, prescribed by the City Charter, or any other law, or any ordinance of any City adopting this act, which now or hereafter may be required of him, until a Mayor shall be chosen and duly sworn to the discharge of his duties; and such Chairman, with the Board of Aldermen, shall discharge all the duties incumbent on the Mayor and Aldermen.

SECT. 5. All City officers, after their election, shall be held to discharge the duties to which they have been elected, being residents of the Ward at the time of their election, notwithstanding their removal afterwards out of their Ward into any other Ward of the City.

[*Approved by the Governor, March* 25, 1845.]

An Act concerning Streets and Ways in the City of Boston.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. When any street or way, which now is, or hereafter shall be opened in the City of Boston, over any private land, by the owners thereof, and dedicated to, or

permitted to be used by the public, before such street shall have been accepted and laid out according to law, it shall be the duty of the owners of the lots abutting thereon, to grade such street or way at their own expense. in such manner as the safety and convenience of the public shall, in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen of said City, require; and if the owners of such abutting lots shall, after reasonable notice given by the said Mayor and Aldermen, neglect or refuse to grade such street or way in manner aforesaid, it shall be lawful for the said Mayor and Aldermen to cause the same to be graded as aforesaid, and the expense thereof shall, after due notice to the parties interested, be equitably assessed upon the owners of such abutting lots, by the said Mayor and Aldermen, in such proportions as they shall judge reasonable; and all assessments so made shall be a lien upon such abutting lands, in like manner as taxes are now a lien upon real estate: *provided, always*, that nothing contained in this act shall be construed to affect any agreements heretofore made respecting any such streets or ways as aforesaid, between such owners and said City: *provided, also*, that any such grading of any street or way by the Mayor and Aldermen as aforesaid, shall not be construed to be an acceptance of such street or way by the City of Boston.

SECT. 2. No street or way shall hereafter be opened as aforesaid in said City, of a less width than thirty feet, except with the consent of said Mayor and Aldermen, in writing, first had and obtained for that purpose.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect in thirty days from the passing thereof, unless the City Council of said City shall, within that time, vote not to accept the same.

[*Approved by the Governor, March* 26, 1845.]

An Act concerning the City of Boston.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. All and singular the acts and doings of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Boston, or of the Chairman thereof, during the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, and one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, purporting to have been official acts and doings on behalf of said City, in the absence of the Mayor thereof, and which might have been legally done and performed by said Mayor alone, or by said Mayor and Aldermen together, whether in relation to any deeds, leases, agreements, indentures or assurances, drafts on the City Treasury, or any other matter or thing within the official powers and duties of the said Mayor alone, or said Mayor and Aldermen together; and whether by concurrent vote with the Common Council or otherwise, shall be deemed to have, and shall have the same force and effect, to all intents and purposes, as if said acts and doings had been done and performed by said Mayor alone, or by said Mayor and Aldermen together.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved by the Governor, February* 19, 1846.]

An Act relating to the erection of Furnaces for the making of Glass.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. No furnace for the making of glass shall be hereafter erected or put up for use in any City or Town in this Commonwealth, unless a license therefor shall be first granted in the manner provided in the first section of the one hundred and ninety-seventh chapter of the acts of the Legislature, passed in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, and such license shall be applied for, granted and recorded in the manner provided in said act.

SECT. 2. Any such furnace hereafter erected, without such license, shall be deemed and taken to be a common nuisance, without any other proof than proof of its use, and may be abated and removed in the manner provided in said act.

SECT. 3. This act shall not be in force in any Town or City, unless the same shall be adopted in the manner provided in the tenth section of the act aforesaid.

SECT. 4. This act shall be in force from and after its passage. [*Approved by the Governor, March* 12, 1846. *Adopted by the City, January* 25, 1847.]

An Act for supplying the City of Boston with Pure Water.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. The City of Boston is hereby authorized, by and through the agency of three commissioners, to be ap-

pointed in the manner hereinafter provided, to take, hold and convey to, into and through the said City, the water of Long Pond, so called, in the Towns of Natick, Wayland and Framingham, and the waters which may flow into and from the same, and any other ponds and streams within the distance of four miles from said Long Pond, and any water rights connected therewith; and may also take and hold, by purchase or otherwise, any lands or real estate necessary for laying and maintaining aqueducts for conducting, discharging, disposing of, and distributing water, and for forming reservoirs; and may also take and hold any land on and around the margin of said Long Pond, not exceeding five rods in width, measuring from the verge of said pond, when the same shall be raised to the level of eight feet above the floor of the flume at the outlet thereof, and on and around the said other ponds and streams, so far as may be necessary for the preservation and purity of the same, for the purpose of furnishing a supply of pure water for the said City of Boston. The City of Boston shall, within sixty days from the time they shall take any lands or ponds or streams of water for the purposes of this act, file, in the office of the Registry of Deeds, for the county where they are situate, a description of the lands, ponds or streams of water so taken, as certain as is required in a common conveyance of lands, and a statement of the purpose for which taken, which said description and statement shall be signed by the said Mayor.

Sect. 2. The said City may, by and through the same agency, make and build one or more permanent aqueducts, from any of the aforesaid water sources, to, into and through the said City, and secure and maintain the same by any works suitable therefor; may connect the said water sources with each other; may erect and maintain dams to raise and retain the waters therein; may make and maintain reservoirs within and without the said City; may make and establish such public hydrants, in such places as may, from time to time, be deemed proper, and prescribe the purposes for which they may be used, and may change or discontinue the same; may distribute the water throughout the City,

and for this purpose may lay down pipes to any house or building in said City, the owner or owners thereof having notice and not objecting thereto; may regulate the use of the said water within and without the said City, and establish the prices or rents to be paid therefor. And the said City may, for the purposes aforesaid, carry and conduct any aqueducts, or other works, by them to be made and constructed, over or under any water-course, or any street, turnpike-road, rail-road, highway, or other way, in such manner as not to obstruct or impede travel thereon; and may enter upon and dig up any such road, street or way, for the purpose of laying down pipes beneath the surface thereof, and for maintaining and repairing the same; and, in general, may do any other acts and things necessary, or convenient and proper, for the purposes of this act.

Sect. 3. Three commissioners shall be appointed by the City Council, who shall, during their continuance in office, execute and perform, and superintend and direct, the execution and performance of all the works, matters and things mentioned in the preceding sections which are not otherwise specially provided for in this act; they shall be subject to such ordinances, rules and regulations, in the execution of their said trust, as the City Council may, from time to time, ordain and establish, not inconsistent with the provisions of this act and the laws of this Commonwealth; they shall respectively hold their said offices for the term of three years next after their said appointment, unless the aqueducts and works aforesaid shall be sooner completed; but they, or either of them, after having had an opportunity to be heard in his or their defence, may be removed at any time, by a concurrent vote of two thirds of each branch of the City Council; and in case of a vacancy in the board of commissioners, by death, resignation, or removal, such vacancy shall be filled by the appointment of another commissioner, in manner aforesaid, who shall hold his said office for the residue of the said term of three years, with all the powers and subject to all the restrictions aforesaid. A major part of said commissioners shall be a quorum for the exercise of the powers and the performance of the duties of

the said office; they shall, once in every six months, and whenever required by the City Council, make and present in writing, a particular report and statement of all their acts and proceedings, and of the condition and progress of the works aforesaid.

SECT. 4. Before the appointment of the commissioners aforesaid, the City Council shall establish and fix the salaries, or compensation, to be paid to the commissioners for their services; and the said salaries of the said commissioners, so established and fixed as aforesaid, shall not be reduced during their continuance, respectively, in said office.

SECT. 5. Whenever the said office of commissioners shall cease, either by the expiration of the said term of three years from the original appointment, or by the completion of the aqueducts and works mentioned in the preceding sections of this act, all the rights, powers and authority, given to the City of Boston by this act, shall be exercised by the said City, subject to all the duties, liabilities and restrictions herein contained, in such manner, and by such agents, officers and servants, as the City Council shall, from time to time, ordain, appoint, and direct.

SECT. 6. The said City of Boston shall be liable to pay all damages that shall be sustained by any persons in their property, by the taking of any land, water, or water rights, or by the constructing of any aqueducts, reservoirs, or other works, for the purposes of this act. And if the owner of any land, water, or water rights, which shall be taken as aforesaid, or other person who shall sustain damage as aforesaid, shall not agree upon the damages to be paid therefor, he may apply, by petition, for the assessment of his damages, at any time within three years from the taking of the said land, water or water rights, as aforesaid, and not afterwards, to the Court of Common Pleas, in the county in which the same are situate; such petition may be filed in the clerk's office of said court, in vacation or in term time, and the clerk shall thereupon issue a summons to the City of Boston, returnable, if issued in vacation, to the then next term of the said court, and if in term time, returnable.

on such day as the said court shall order, to appear and answer to the said petition; the said summons shall be served fourteen days, at least, before the return day thereof, by leaving a copy thereof, and of the said petition, certified by the officer who shall serve the same, with the Mayor or Clerk of the said City; and the said court may, upon default or hearing of the said City, appoint three judicious and disinterested freeholders of this Commonwealth, who shall, after reasonable notice to the parties, assess the damages, if any, which such petitioner may have sustained as aforesaid, and the award of the said freeholders, or of the major part of them, being returned into and accepted by the said court, shall be final, and judgment shall be rendered and execution issued thereon for the prevailing party, with costs, unless one of the said parties shall claim a trial by jury, as hereinafter provided.

SECT. 7. If either of the parties mentioned in the preceding section, shall be dissatisfied with the amount of damages awarded as therein expressed, such party may, at the term at which such award was accepted, or the next term thereafter, claim, in writing, a trial in said court, and have a jury to hear and determine, at the bar of said court, all questions of fact relating to such damages, and to assess the amount thereof; and the verdict of such jury being accepted and recorded by the said court, shall be final and conclusive, and judgment shall be rendered and execution issued thereon; and cost shall be recovered by the said parties respectively, in the same manner as is provided by law, in regard to proceedings relating to the laying out of highways.

SECT. 8. No application shall be made to the court, for the assessment of damages for the taking of any water rights, until the water shall be actually withdrawn or diverted by the said City under the authority of this act; and any person or corporation, whose water rights may be thus taken and affected, may make his application aforesaid, at any time within three years from the time when the waters shall be first actually withdrawn or diverted as aforesaid.

SECT. 9. For the purpose of defraying all the costs and expenses of such lands, estates, waters and water rights, as shall be taken, purchased or held, for the purposes mentioned in this act, and of constructing all aqueducts and works necessary and proper, for the accomplishment of the said purposes, and all expenses incident thereto, the City Council shall have authority to issue, from time to time, notes, scrip, or certificates of debt, to be denominated, on the face thereof, "BOSTON WATER SCRIP" to an amount not exceeding in the whole, the sum of three millions of dollars, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding the legal rate of interest in this Commonwealth; and said interest shall be payable semi-annually, and the principal shall be payable at periods not more than forty years from the issuing of the said scrip, notes, or certificates respectively. And the said City Council may sell the same, or any part thereof, from time to time, at public or private sale, or pledge the same for money borrowed for the purposes aforesaid, on such terms and conditions as the said City Council shall judge proper.

SECT. 10. In addition to the sum of three millions of dollars mentioned in the preceding section, the said City Council may, whenever and so far as may be necessary, issue and dispose of notes, scrip, or certificates of debt, in the manner prescribed in the preceding section, to meet all payments of interest which may accrue upon any scrip by them issued; *provided, however*, that no scrip shall be issued for the payment of interest as aforesaid, after the expiration of two years from the completion of said aqueducts and other works; but payment of all interest that shall accrue after that time, shall be made from the net income, rents, and receipts for the use of the water, if they shall be sufficient for that purpose; and if not, then the payment of the deficiency shall be otherwise provided for by the City Council. All notes, scrip, and certificates of debt to be issued as aforesaid, shall be signed by the Treasurer and Auditor, and countersigned by the Mayor of the said City, and a record of all such notes, scrip, and certifi-

cates shall be made and kept by the said Treasurer and Auditor respectively.

SECT. 11. The City Council shall, from time to time, regulate the price or rents for the use of the water, with a view to the payment, from the net income, rents and receipts therefor, not only of the semi-annual interest, but ultimately of the principal also of the "Boston Water Scrip," so far as the same may be practicable and reasonable. And the said net surplus income, rents and receipts, after deducting all expenses and charges of distribution, shall be set apart as a sinking fund, and shall be appropriated for and towards the payment of the principal and interest of the said scrip; and shall, under the management, control, and direction of the Mayor, Treasurer, and Auditor of the City, or the major part of them for the time being, who shall be Trustees of the said fund, be applied solely to the use and purpose aforesaid, until the said scrip shall be fully paid and discharged. And the said Trustees shall, whenever thereto required by the City Council, render a just, true, and full account to the said City Council, of all their receipts, payments, and doings under the provisions of this section.

SECT. 12. At any time after the expiration of two years, from the completion of the works mentioned in the second section of this act, and before the reimbursement of the principal of the "Boston Water Scrip" herein before mentioned, if the surplus income and receipts for the use of the water distributed under the provisions of this act, at the price established by the City Council, after deducting all expenses and charges of distribution, shall, for any two successive years, be insufficient to pay the accruing interest on the said scrip, then the Supreme Judicial Court, on the petition of one hundred or more of the legal voters of the said City, praying that the said price may be raised and increased so far as may be necessary for the purpose of paying, from the said surplus income and receipts, the said accruing interest, and upon due notice of the pendency of such petition given to the said City in such manner as the

said court shall order, may appoint three commissioners, who, upon due notice to the parties interested, may raise and increase the said price, if they shall judge proper, so far as may be necessary, in their judgment, for the purpose aforesaid, and no farther. And the award of said commissioners, or the major part of them, being returned to the said court, at the then next term thereof for the county of Suffolk, and accepted by the said court, shall be binding and conclusive, for the term of three years next after the said acceptance, and until the price so fixed by the commissioners shall, after the expiration of said term, be changed or altered by the City Council.

SECT. 13. If the surplus income and receipts for the use of the water, distributed under the provisions of this act, at the price established by the City Council, after deducting all expenses and charges of distribution, shall, for any two successive years, be more than sufficient to pay the accruing interest on the "Boston Water Scrip" herein before mentioned, then the Supreme Judicial Court, on the petition of one hundred or more of the legal voters of the said City, who may deem the said price unreasonably high, and pray for a reduction thereof; and upon due notice of the pendency of said petition given to the said City in such manner as the said court shall order, may appoint three commissioners, who, upon due notice to the parties interested, may, if they shall judge proper, reduce the price established by the City Council; *provided*, that such reduction shall not be so great that the surplus income and receipts aforesaid, will, in the judgment of the said commissioners, be thereafter insufficient for the payment of the said accruing interest. And the award of the said commissioners, or the major part of them, being returned and accepted as mentioned in the preceding section, shall be binding and conclusive, in the same manner, and to the same extent, as therein provided in regard to awards made pursuant to the provisions of that section.

And the said court may, at their discretion, order the costs on such petitions as are mentioned in this and the

preceding section, and of the proceedings thereon, or any part thereof, to be paid by either of the said parties, and may enter judgment and issue execution therefor accordingly.

SECT. 14. The occupant of any tenement shall be liable for the payment of the price or rent for the use of the water in such tenement; and the owner thereof shall be also liable, if, on being notified of such use, he does not object thereto; and if any person or persons shall use any of the said water, either within or without the City, without the consent of the City, an action of trespass on the case may be maintained against him or them, by the said City, for the recovery of damages therefor: *provided, however,* that this act shall not be so construed as to prevent the inhabitants of Natick, Framingham, Sherburne, and Wayland, from using so much of the water hereby granted as shall be necessary for extinguishing fires and for all ordinary household purposes, under such regulations of the said City Council as may be essential for the preservation of the purity of the same.

SECT. 15. If any person or persons shall wantonly or maliciously divert the water, or any part thereof, of any of the ponds, streams, or water sources, which shall be taken by the City pursuant to the provisions of this act, or shall corrupt the same or render it impure, or destroy or injure any dam, aqueduct, pipe, conduit, hydrant, machinery or other property, held, owned or used by the said City, by the authority and for the purposes of this act; every such person or persons shall forfeit and pay, to the said City, three times the amount of the damages that shall be assessed therefor, to be recovered by any proper action. And every such person or persons may, moreover, on indictment and conviction of either of the wanton and malicious acts aforesaid, be punished by fine, not exceeding one thousand dollars, and imprisonment not exceeding one year.

SECT. 16. The said City of Boston is hereby authorized to purchase and hold all the property, estates, rights and privileges of the Aqueduct Corporation, incorporated by an

act passed February 27th, in the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, and by any convenient mode may connect the same with their other works.

SECT. 17. The Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Boston shall notify and warn the legal voters of the said City, to meet in their respective wards, on such day as the said Mayor and Aldermen shall direct, not exceeding thirty days from and after the passing of this act, for the purpose of giving their written votes upon the question, whether they will accept the same; and if a majority of the votes so given upon the question aforesaid, shall be in the negative, this act shall be null and void.

SECT. 18. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved by the Governor, March* 30, 1846.]

An Act concerning the Dedication of Public Ways, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. No way heretofore opened and dedicated to the public use and not already become a public way, and no way hereafter opened and dedicated to the public use, shall become chargeable upon any City or Town, unless such ways shall be laid out and established by such City or Town, in the manner prescribed by the statutes of this Commonwealth.

SECT. 2. It shall be the duty of the Mayor and Aldermen of each City, and of the Selectmen of each Town in this Commonwealth, and they are hereby authorized and required, whenever, and so long as the public safety may demand it, to direct and cause the entrances of all the ways

aforesaid, entering on and uniting with any existing public way, to be closed up, or, by other sufficient means, to caution the public against entering upon such ways.

SECT. 3. In case any City or Town shall not close up the entrances to the ways aforesaid, or give other sufficient notice that the same are dangerous, such City or Town so neglecting, shall be liable for any damages arising from any defects therein, in the same mannner as if such ways were duly laid out and established.

[*Approved by the Governor, April* 9, 1846.]

An Act authorizing the Supreme Judicial Court to restrain the abuses of Corporate Power by Cities and Towns, in certain cases.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. Whenever any City or Town shall have voted to raise by taxation, or by pledge of its credit, or to pay over from moneys in its Treasury, any sum or sums of money for any other purpose or purposes than those for which it may have the legal right and power so to do, the Supreme Judicial Court shall have power, upon the suit or petition of any inhabitants, not less than ten, of such City or Town liable to be taxed therein, briefly setting forth the cause of complaint, to hear and finally determine in equity all such cases; and any justice of said court may, as well in vacation as in term time, issue an injunction, and make all such orders and decrees as may be necessary or proper to restrain or prevent any violation or abuse of said legal right and power of such City or Town, until the final determination of such causes by the Supreme Judicial Court; and no order or decree of said court, or of any justice

thereof, shall be discharged or invalidated on account of want of jurisdiction in said court or justice.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved March* 3, 1847.]

An Act to regulate the Keeping of Gun Cotton and other like substances.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. The inhabitants of any Town, and the government of any City, in this Commonwealth, may order that no gun-cotton, or other substance prepared, like it, for explosion, shall be kept within the limits of such Town or City, excepting under the regulations and penalties that are now applicable by law to gunpowder; and, if it shall be considered necessary for public safety, they may restrict the quantity to be so kept to one fifth of the weight of gunpowder allowed by law in each case provided for.

[*Approved March* 6, 1847.]

An Act in addition to an Act for the further regulation of the Erection of Wooden Buildings in the City of Boston.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. Any building hereafter erected in the City of Boston, contrary to the provisions of an act entitled

"An Act for the further regulation of the Erection of Wooden Buildings in the City of Boston," passed the eighth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, chapter one hundred and thirty-nine, shall be deemed and taken to be a common nuisance; and the Mayor and Aldermen of the said City shall have the same power and authority to abate and remove any such building as are given to the Board of Health, in the tenth and eleventh sections of the twenty-first chapter of the Revised Statutes; *Provided, however*, that nothing herein shall be construed as affecting any remedies already given in the said act. [*Approved March* 27, 1847.]

An Act concerning the Powers of Cities and Towns.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. The Mayor and Aldermen of any City, and the inhabitants of any Town, in this Commonwealth, shall have power and authority to make all by-laws that may be necessary to preserve the peace, good order, and internal police, of their respective Cities and Towns; and they may annex suitable penalties, not exceeding twenty dollars for any one breach thereof, to be recovered by complaint before any justice of the peace for the county, or the Police Court of any City, in which the offence may be committed, and to enure to such uses as the City or Town may direct, subject to the provisions of the thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth sections of the fifteenth chapter of the Revised Statutes. [*Approved April* 9, 1847.]

An Act concerning the House for the Reformation and Employment of Juvenile Offenders, in the City of Boston.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. The Municipal or Police Court of said City, upon the complaint, under oath, of the Mayor or any Alderman thereof, or of any of the Directors of the House of Industry, or of the said House of Reformation and Employment, or of the Overseers of the Poor of said City, that any minor, under the age of sixteen years, lives an idle and dissolute life, and that his parents are dead, or, if living, do, from vice or any other cause, neglect to provide suitable employment for, or to exercise salutary control over such minor, shall have power, upon conviction thereof, to sentence such minor to such House of Reformation and Employment, to be kept and governed according to law.

SECT. 2. The second section of the twenty-second chapter of the laws passed in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, is hereby repealed,—saving all matters now pending, and the right of appeal, as provided in the third section of said chapter.

[*Approved April* 21, 1847.]

An Act to prevent Obstructions in the Streets of Cities, and to regulate Hackney Coaches and other vehicles.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. The Mayor and Aldermen of any City in this Commonwealth shall have power, from time to time, to make and adopt such rules and orders, as to them shall appear necessary and expedient, for the due regulation, in such City, of Omnibuses, Stages, Hackney Coaches, Wagons, Carts, Drays, and all other carriages and vehicles whatsoever, used or employed, wholly or in part, in such City, whether by prescribing their routes and places of standing, or in any other manner whatsoever; and whether such carriages and other vehicles as aforesaid are used for burthen or pleasure, or for the conveyance of passengers or freight, or otherwise, and whether with or without horse or other animal power; *Provided*, that nothing contained in this act shall be construed to abridge or impair the rights of Cities to make such by-laws and regulations, touching the subjects above provided for, as they now possess by virtue of their charters, or the amendments thereof.

SECT. 2. The Mayor and Aldermen of any City may annex penalties for the violation of any such rules and orders as are authorized in the first section, not exceeding twenty dollars in any one instance; which penalties may be recovered, for the use of the City, by complaint before the Police Court of such City, or any justice of the peace in a City where no Police Court is established: *Provided*, that no such rule or order shall take effect, or go into operation, until the same shall have been published at least one week in some newspaper printed in such City or the County within which such City is included.

SECT. 3. The act entitled "An Act for regulating Hackney Coaches in the Town of Boston, and to repeal

an act heretofore made for that purpose," passed November the twenty-fifth, in the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six; the seventh section of an act entitled "An Act to regulate the Paving of Streets in the Town of Boston, and for removing Obstructions in the same," passed on the twenty-second day of June, in the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine; and all that part of the fifth section of the same act which relates to the driving of any horse or cart, or any wheel carriage of burthen or pleasure, or the wheeling of any wheelbarrow, on the footwalk of any street in Boston; the second and third sections of an act entitled "An Act in addition to the several acts now in force to regulate the Paving of Streets in the Town of Boston, and for removing Obstructions in the same," passed on the nineteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and nine, are hereby repealed; *Provided*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as reviving any acts repealed in any of the acts herein referred to. [*Approved April* 23, 1847.]

An Act concerning the Board of Health in the City of Boston.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

The second section of the twenty-first Chapter of the Revised Statutes is hereby repealed.

[*Approved April* 23, 1847.]

An Act to establish Regulations concerning the Harbor of Boston.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. No vessel which shall cast anchor in the harbor of Boston, between India Wharf and Gray's Wharf, shall anchor within five hundred feet of the line described in the second section of an act entitled "An Act to preserve the harbor of Boston, and to prevent encroachments therein," passed on the nineteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven; and no vessel which shall cast anchor between the easterly side of Lamson's Wharf and the easterly side of Tuttle's Wharf, at East Boston, shall anchor within five hundred feet of the line described in the fifth section of "An Act concerning the harbor of Boston," passed the seventeenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, unless for the purpose of hauling in as soon as practicable, to some wharf in said harbor, or unless compelled to do so by reason of stress of weather, or unavoidable casualty; and, for every offence against either of the foregoing provisions, after having been notified thereof by the harbor-master, who may be appointed as hereinafter mentioned, or by any party aggrieved, the master, commander, or owners of such vessel, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding twenty-five dollars.

SECT. 2. The master, commander, or owners of every vessel, shall, as soon as practicable after having hauled to the end of any wharf that extends to the channel in said harbor, cause her lower yards to be cockbilled, and her jib-boom to be rigged in, so that the said jib-boom may not annoy any other vessel or vessels going in or out of the adjoining docks; and the lower yards and jib-boom shall be kept so arranged while such vessel lies at the end of the

wharf as aforesaid, and until she is preparing immediately to leave her berth; and for every offence against any of the provisions in this section, the master, commander, or owners, or either of them, of such vessel, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding ten dollars.

SECT. 3. No person shall throw or deposit in said harbor, or any part thereof, any stones, gravel, ballast, cinders, ashes, dirt, mud, or other substances, which may, in any respect, tend to injure the navigation thereof; and whoever shall offend against the provisions of this section shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars.

SECT. 4. No warp or line shall be passed across the mouth of any slip, for the purpose of hauling a vessel by said slip, before the vessel shall be within one hundred feet of said slip, if the owners or occupants thereof object, unless the harbor-master, who may be appointed as hereinafter mentioned, shall have decided it to be necessary: and for every offence against this provision, the master, commander, or owners of such vessel shall be subjected to a penalty not exceeding five dollars.

SECT. 5. The City Council of the City of Boston may, if they shall deem it expedient, annually appoint, by concurrent ballot in each board, a harbor-master for the port of Boston, who shall hold his office for one year, and until another shall be appointed in his place, or until he shall be removed by said City Council; and, before entering upon his office, he shall give bond to the said City, with sufficient sureties, to the satisfaction of the Mayor and Aldermen, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of said office; and in case of the sickness or disability of the said harbor-master, he may appoint a deputy, subject to the approval of said Mayor and Aldermen, to perform his duties during such sickness or disability; and said harbor-master shall be allowed and paid quarterly, out of the City Treasury, such salary for his services as said City Council shall, from time to time, establish.

SECT. 6. It shall be the duty of the said harbor-master to enforce the execution of the several provisions of this

act, and of all other laws of the Commonwealth relating, in any way, to said harbor; and to prosecute all violations of such laws and ordinances, and to take all lawful measures to prevent the doing of any act by which the flow of the tides, or the force, direction, or depth of the current into, out of, or through the said harbor may, in any degree, be injuriously affected. And said harbor-master shall also have authority so to regulate the anchorage of vessels that, as far as may be practicable, ferry-boats may pass unobstructed, and the channel shall be kept clear from the wharves to Castle Island.

SECT. 7. All said several penalties may be recovered by complaint before the Police Court of the City of Boston, or by indictment, for the use of the said City.

SECT. 8. This act shall take effect on and after the first day of July next. [*Approved April* 23, 1847.]

An Act providing for the Inspection of Hay.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. The Mayor and Aldermen of each City, and Selectmen of each Town, in this Commonwealth, in which bale or bundle hay is sold, may, on the petition of ten or more legal voters of such City or Town, annually appoint one or more persons as inspectors of bale or bundle hay, who shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties of their office.

SECT. 2. Said Mayor and Aldermen and Selectmen, respectively, may remove any inspector so appointed, and fill any vacancy that may occur from death or otherwise.

SECT. 3. It shall be the duty of the inspector to inspect and weigh all bale or bundle hay, within the limits of the

City, Town, or Ward, for which he may be appointed, when requested so to do by the owner or vendor of such hay.

SECT. 4. All bales or bundles of hay so inspected, which are found to be sweet, of good quality, and free from damage or any improper mixture, shall be branded or marked *No.* 1. All bales or bundles which are found to be sweet, and free from damage or any improper mixture, but consisting of hay of a secondary quality, shall be branded or marked *No.* 2. All bales or bundles which are found to be wet, or in any way damaged, or which shall contain any straw or other substances not valuable as hay, shall be branded or marked *bad.* Each bale or bundle so inspected shall also be branded or marked with the first letter of the Christian name, and the whole of the surname, of the inspector, and the name of the City or Town for which he is inspector, together with the month and year when inspected; and also the net weight of the bundle.

SECT. 5. Each inspector shall furnish himself with proper scales, weights, seals, and other suitable instruments for the purposes aforesaid.

SECT. 6. The fees for inspecting, weighing, and marking, as provided for in this act, shall be fixed by the respective officers having the power of appointment, and shall be paid by the employer of the inspector.

SECT. 7. Any person who shall sell any bale or bundle hay, in any City or Town in this Commonwealth, where an inspector is appointed, as required by this act, which has not been inspected and weighed as herein provided, shall forfeit, for each bale or bundle so sold, two dollars, to be recovered in any court proper to try the same,—one half to the complainant, and the other half to the City or Town in which such sale shall have been made: *provided*, that no inspection under this act shall be made, where the vendor and vendee shall certify, in writing, to the inspector, that they object to an inspection.

[*Approved April* 23, 1847.]

An Act concerning the Powers of Cities.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECT. 1. The City Council of any City shall have power and authority to make all by-laws, not inconsistent with the laws of the Commonwealth, that may be necessary to preserve the peace, good order, and internal police of such City, and may annex suitable penalties, not exceeding twenty dollars for any one breach thereof, to be recovered by complaint before any police court in such City, or any justice of the peace in a City where no police court is established: *provided*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect the provisions of an act entitled "An Act to prevent obstructions in the streets of cities, and to regulate hackney coaches and other vehicles," passed at the present session of the Legislature.

SECT. 2. So much of an act passed on the ninth day of April in the present year, entitled "An Act concerning the powers of Cities and Towns," as relates to any city in the Commonwealth, is hereby repealed.

[*Approved April* 24, 1847.]

An Act concerning Lines in Boston Harbor.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

SECT. 1. The lines hereinafter described, are hereby established as lines of the channel of the harbor of Boston, beyond which no wharf or pier shall ever hereafter be extended into and over the tide-water of the Commonwealth.

SECT. 2. The *first* line is drawn from the southerly end of the island built by the Boston and Maine Rail-road Company, between the channels of Charles River and Miller's River, to the southerly corner of the northwesterly abutment of Canal (or Cragie's) Bridge. The *second* line is drawn straight from the face of the said abutment of Canal Bridge, through a point on the northerly side of West Boston Bridge, two thousand feet from the easterly side of the draw in said bridge, to a point two thousand feet northerly from the harbor line heretofore established on the northerly side of the Boston and Roxbury Mill Dam. The *next* line is drawn from this last point westerly, parallel to said Mill Dam, and two thousand feet from said harbor line, to the northern shore of Charles River, near its mouth.

SECT. 3. The *fourth* line is in Miller's River, and is drawn from the south corner of the aforesaid Boston and Maine Rail-road Company's island northerly, along the westerly side of the same, and thence in the same straight line to the northerly side of the old channel. The *fifth* line is drawn from the point where the fourth line meets the northerly side of the said channel, northwesterly, northerly, and northeasterly, along the sea-wall recently built by the Charlestown Branch Rail-road Company, to the westerly projection of the State Prison Yard. The *sixth* line is parallel to the fourth line, and two hundred feet westerly. It extends from the channel of Charles River to the south

side of the channel of Miller's River. The *seventh* line is drawn from the north end of the sixth, as just described, to a point on the north side of Prison Point Bridge, five hundred feet westerly of the centre line of the Boston and Maine Rail-road. The *eighth* line is drawn from the northern extremity of the seventh to a point opposite the west end of the Fitchburg Rail-road Bridge, and distant from the same three hundred feet. The *ninth* line is drawn from the last mentioned point to the northerly corner of the southeasterly abutment of the Boston and Lowell Rail-road Bridge over Miller's River.

Sect. 4. The *tenth* line is in South Bay, and is drawn from a point on the south side of the South Free Bridge, (one hundred and fifty feet southeasterly of the southeasterly side of the draw,) in a southerly direction, parallel to the Dorchester turnpike, three thousand feet. The *eleventh* line is on the westerly side of the channel, and is drawn from the southerly corner of Miller and Nason's wharf, southerly in a direction at right angles with the South Bridge, across the same, to a point twelve hundred and fifty feet distant therefrom. The *twelfth* line is drawn from the last mentioned point to the westerly side of the artificial channel of Roxbury Creek, one thousand feet southeasterly from Harrison Avenue, opposite the South Burying-ground.

The said lines, thus described, are the lines reported by commissioners under the Resolve passed the twenty-second day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, "authorizing the survey of South Bay, Charles and Mystic Rivers," and by said commissioners drawn and defined on plans by them taken and deposited in the library of the Commonwealth.

Sect. 5. No wharf, pier, building, or incumbrance of any kind, shall hereafter be extended beyond the said lines or either of them, into or over the tide water in said harbor; nor shall any wharf or pier, which is now erected on the inner side of either of said lines, be extended farther towards the said line, than such wharf or pier now stands, or than the same might have been lawfully enlarged or ex-

tended before the passing of this act, without leave being first obtained from the Legislature.

SECT. 6. Every person offending against the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to be prosecuted therefor, by indictment or information, in any court of competent jurisdiction; and on conviction, shall be punished by a fine not less than one thousand dollars, nor more than five thousand dollars, for every offence; and any erection or obstruction, which shall be made contrary to the provisions and intent of this act, shall be liable to be removed and abated as a public nuisance, in the manner heretofore provided for the removal and abatement of nuisances on the public highway.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved April* 26, 1847.]

GOVERNMENT

OF THE

CITY OF BOSTON,

1848.

MAYOR.

JOSIAH QUINCY, JR., 4, Park Street.

[Salary $2,500. Charter, §12.]

ALDERMEN.

HENRY B. ROGERS, . . 5 Joy place.
WILLIAM POPE, ... 2 Garland street.
JOHN HATHAWAY, . . 23 Poplar street.
FREDERICK GOULD, . . Prince, cor. Hanover st.
GEORGE E. HEAD, . . . 114 Tremont street.
JOHN H. WILKINS, . . . 52 Bowdoin street.
BILLINGS BRIGGS, . . 9 Myrtle court.
JOHN P. OBER, ... 22 Charter street.

COMMON COUNCIL.

BENJAMIN SEAVER, PRESIDENT.

Ward No. 1.

Daniel Bartlett, jr. . . . 17 Charter street,
Noah Lincoln, jr. . . . 30 North Bennet street,
Abel B. Munroe, ... 4 Tileston street,
John H. Bowker, . . . 120 Salem street.

Ward No. 2.

Freeborn F. Raymond, . 3 Garden Court street,
Henry Davis, ... 179 Hanover street,
William Wildes, ... 2 Fleet street,
George D. B. Blanchard, . 6 Garden Court street.

Ward No. 3.

James Boynton, ... 39 Portland street,
George Cofran, ... 2 Gouch place,
Edwin C. Bailey, . . . 32 Nashua street,
Thomas Critchet, ... 1 Andover street.

Ward No. 4.

Samuel W. Hall, . . . Webster street, E. Boston,
Benjamin Seaver, ... Revere House,
Darwin E. Jewett, . . . 17 Howard street,
William W. Greenough, . 56 Temple street.

Ward No. 5.

Francis Brown, ... 83 Leverett street,
Philip Greely, Jr., . . . 11 McLean street,
George W. Abbot, . . . 64 Poplar street,
William D. Coolidge, . . 52 Allen street.

Ward No. 6.

Thomas Haviland, . . . 63 Chestnut street,
Charles Henry Parker, . . 55 Mount Vernon street,
Richard B. Carter, . . . 70 Chestnut street,
John P. Putnam, ... 31 West Cedar street.

Ward No. 7.

Gideon F. Thayer, . . . 12 Essex street,
Theophilus R. Marvin, . . 7 Hayward place,
William G. Brooks, . . 3 Rowe street,
Josiah Putnam Bradlee, . 22 Franklin place.

Ward No. 8.

Samuel Topliff, ... 32 Washington square,
Willard A. Harrington, . . 1 Purchase place,
Nathaniel Brewer, . . . 3 Hartford place,
Francis Gardner, . . . 76 Atkinson street.

Ward No. 9.

Walter Bryent, ... 1 Bussey place,
Henry Waldo Cushing, . . 28 High street,
Tisdale Drake, ... 42 Sea street,
William Blake, ... 6 Winthrop place.

Ward No. 10.

George R. Sampson, . . 563 Washington street,
Samuel Wales, Jr., . . . 36 Carver street,
Solomon Hopkins, . . . 13 Kneeland street,
Jesse Maynard, ... 67 Warren street.

Ward No. 11.

John Green, Jr., ... 657 Washington street,
Edward S. Erving, . . . 79 Pleasant street,
George W. Frothingham, . 14 Florence street,
Stephen Tucker, ... 807 Washington street.

Ward No. 12.

Samuel S. Perkins, . . . Broadway, cor. Dorchester st.
Alvan Simonds, ... Broadway, cor. Turnpike st.
Joseph Smith, ... Broadway, near B street,
Benjamin James, ... Broadway, n. Dorchester st.

City Clerk,

SAMUEL F. McCLEARY, 48 Chambers street.

Salary $1,500, and for Assistant Clerks, 600. [Chosen by City Council, on the first Monday in January. Charter, § 10.]

Clerk of Common Council,

W. P. GREGG, 18 Leverett street.

Salary $800. [Chosen on the first Monday in January. Charter, § 11.]

Messenger,

JOHNSON COLBY, 1 Prospect street.

Salary $900. [Charter, § 13.]

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

On the Reduction of the City Debt.

[Ord. p. 295.]

The Mayor, President of the Common Council, and the Chairman of the Committee on Finance on the part of the Common Council.

On Accounts.

[Ord. p. 29.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
John Hathaway,	Edward S. Erving,
William Pope.	William D. Coolidge,
	William Wildes.

On Finance.

[Ord. p. 295.]

The Mayor.	*Common Council.*
	George R. Sampson,
	Samuel W. Hall,
	James Boynton,
	Samuel Topliff,
	William Blake,
	William G. Brooks,
	Philip Greely, Jr.

On Public Lands.

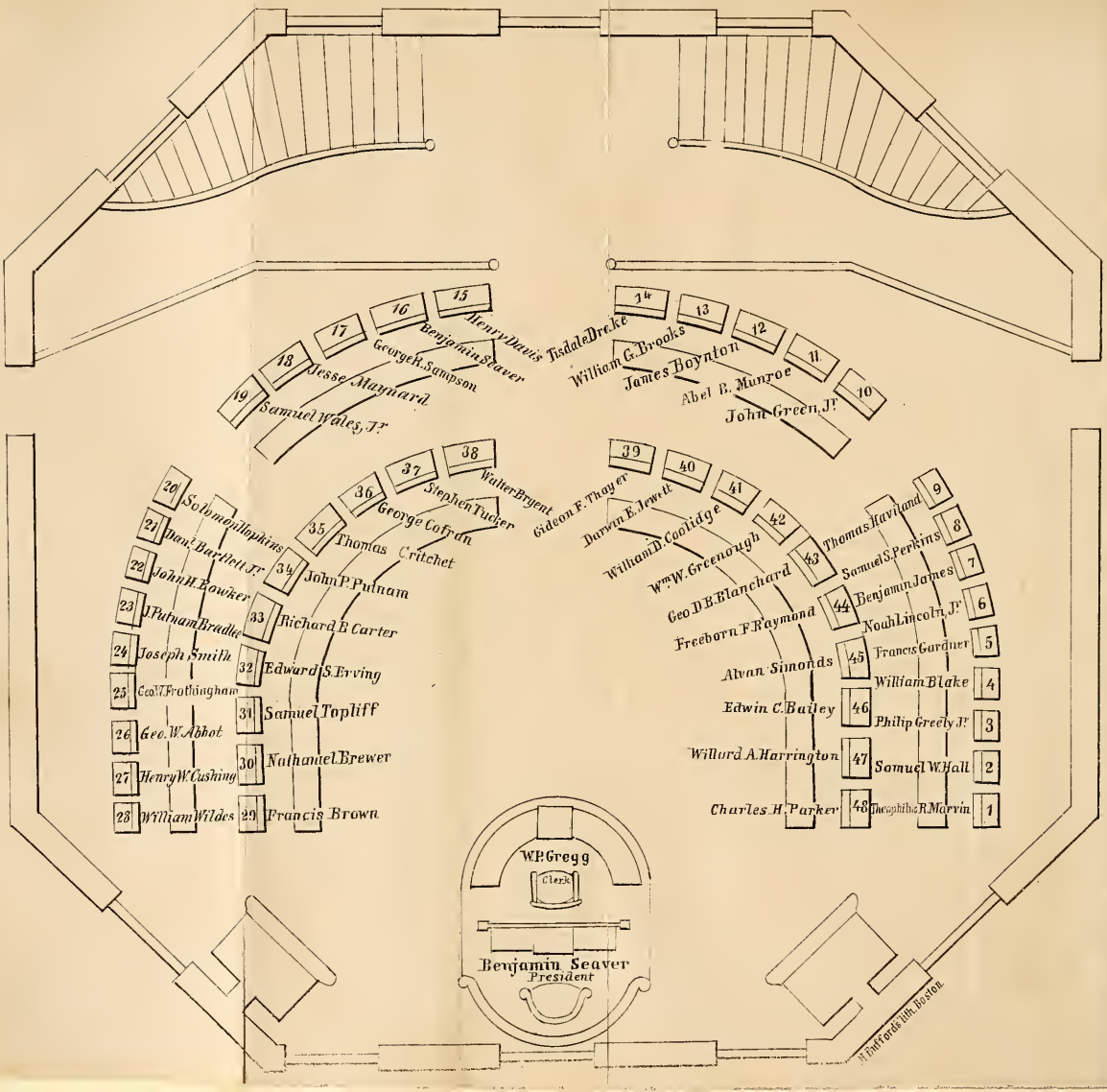
[Ord. p. 298. Mun. Reg p. 28.]

The Mayor.	*Common Council.*
Alderman.	Walter Bryent,
George E. Head.	Stephen Tucker,
	Daniel Bartlett, Jr.

On Public Buildings.

[Sup. Ord p. 55.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
Billings Briggs,	John Green, Jr.,
John H. Wilkins,	Thomas Haviland,
John P. Ober.	Samuel S. Perkins,
	Freeborn F. Raymond,
	John H. Bowker.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Willard A. Harrington
Charles H. Parker
Samuel S. Perkins
Benjamin James
W. P. Gregg
Clerk
Benjamin Seaver
President
N. Hoffords Lith. Boston

On Public Instruction.

The Mayor, *ex officio.*	*Common Council.*
Aldermen.	Benj. Seaver, *ex officio,*
John Hathaway,	Gideon F. Thayer,
Frederick Gould.	Alvan Simonds,
	Francis Brown,
	John P. Putnam.

On Jail, Houses of Correction and Reformation.

The Mayor.	*Common Council.*
Aldermen.	Charles Henry Parker,
Henry B. Rogers,	William G. Brooks,
William Pope.	Willard A. Harrington,
	Theophilus R. Marvin,
	Gideon F. Thayer.

On Fuel.

[Ord. Mun. Reg. p. 19.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
John Hathaway,	Noah Lincoln, Jr.,
Billings Briggs,	Tisdale Drake,
John H. Wilkins.	Henry Davis,
	Nathaniel Brewer,
	Benjamin James.

Treasury Department.

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
George E. Head,	Edward S. Erving,
Henry B. Rogers.	Edwin C. Bailey,
	George W. Frothingham.

Water.

The Mayor.	*Common Council.*
Aldermen.	Samuel W. Hall,
George E. Head,	William W. Greenough,
William Pope.	Samuel Wales, Jr.,
	William D. Coolidge,
	Joseph Smith.

On the Assessors' Department.

[Ord. Mun. Reg. p. 27.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
John H. Wilkins,	Samuel Wales, Jr.,
Frederick Gould.	Francis Gardner,
	Tisdale Drake.

On Boston Harbor.

[Ord. Mun. Reg. p. 42.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
George E. Head,	George R. Sampson,
John P. Ober.	Samuel Topliff,
	Charles H. Parker.

On Printing.

[Ord. Mun. Reg. p. 44.]

Alderman.	*Common Council,*
John H. Wilkins.	T. R. Marvin,
	Richard B. Carter.

On Alien Passengers.

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
George E. Head,	George R. Sampson,
Frederick Gould,	Samuel Topliff,
Billings Briggs,	James Boynton,
John P. Ober.	Alvan Simonds,
	Samuel W. Hall,
	Richard B. Carter,
	John P. Putnam.

On Public Library.

	Common Council.
The Mayor.	Benjamin Seaver,
Aldermen.	Gideon F. Thayer,
Frederick Gould,	Richard B. Carter,
Henry B. Rogers.	Theophilus R. Marvin,
	Henry W. Cushing.

STANDING COMMITTEES

OF THE

MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

On the Police of the City.
The Mayor.

On External Health Department
Aldermen Head, Gould and Ober.

On Internal Health Department.
Aldermen Hathaway, Rogers and Pope.

On the Common, Malls, Fort Hill and Copp's Hill.
The Mayor, *Aldermen* Rogers and Gould.

On Laying out and Widening Streets.
Aldermen Rogers, Gould and Wilkins.

On Paving and Repairs of Streets.
Aldermen Head, Gould and Briggs.

On Licenses.
Aldermen Head, Pope and Ober.

On Ordinances.
Aldermen Rogers, Head and Wilkins.

On Common Sewers and Drains.
Aldermen Ober, Briggs and Pope.

On the Fire Department and Reservoirs.
The Mayor, *Aldermen* Hathaway and Wilkins.

On the Market.

Aldermen Hathaway, Wilkins and Ober.

On Burial Grounds and Cemeteries.

Aldermen Pope, Gould and Wilkins.

On Lamps, Bells and Clocks.

Aldermen Gould and Pope.

On Bridges.

Aldermen Pope and Briggs.

On County Accounts.

Aldermen Hathaway and Pope.

On Steam Engines.

The Mayor, *Aldermen* Ober and Briggs.

STANDING COMMITTEES

OF THE

COMMON COUNCIL.

On Elections and Returns.

George W. Frothingham,
William Wildes,
Darwin E. Jewett,
Thomas Critchet,
J. Putnam Bradlee.

On Enrolled Ordinances.

Henry W. Cushing,
Noah Lincoln, jr.
George D. B. Blanchard,
George Cofran,
Solomon Hopkins.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

James C. Dunn, *City and County Treasurer and Collector.* Salary $2,200; and $3,000 for Assistant Clerks. [Chosen by the City Council in Convention, in May. City Charter, § 18.]

Willard Clough, James Pierce, Thomas Sewards, *Deputy Collectors.* Salary $170 each and fees. Appointed by Treasurer. Statutes, Chap. 15, § 60. Ordinance, p. 275.

Elisha Copeland, jr., *City Auditor*—Salary and Clerk hire $2,000. [Chosen by concurrent vote of the City Council in May. City Ordinances, p. 22.]

Samuel Norwood, George Jackson, Henry Sargent, *Assessors.* Salary $1,300 each; and $2,000 for Assistant Clerks.

Assistant Assessors, residing in different Wards.

Ward.	Ward.
1—Benjamin Dodd, Enoch H. Snelling.	7—Alfred C. Hersey, A. G. Peck.
2—Timothy C. Kendall, Ephraim Milton.	8—Thomas J. Shelton, B. P. Richardson.
3—Osmyn Brewster, Ezekiel Bates.	9—Clement Willis, Solomon Piper.
4—William Denton, Thomas French.	10—Samuel Millard, Francis C. Whiston.
5—James McAllister, Loring Norcross.	11—Henry R. Andrews, Fitz James Price.
6—Nathaniel Curtis, jr. Oliver Downing.	12—C. C. Conley, Theophilus Stover.

Samuel Norwood, *Secretary.*

[The Assessors and Assistant Assessors are chosen by concurrent vote of the City Council, in March or April. Sup. City Ordinance, p. 68.] The Assistant Assessors receive $3 for each day's service.

The Judge of Probate and the Justices of the Police Court, constitute the *Board of Accounts* for the County. [Revised Statutes, p. 164.] They are allowed $3 for each day's service.

William Knapp, *Secretary to the Board.* Salary $150.

CITY SOLICITOR.

Peleg W. Chandler, *City Solicitor.* Salary $2,500. [Chosen by concurrent vote in June. City Ord. p. 38, and Mun. Reg. p. 32.]

MUNICIPAL COURT.

The duties of *Judge of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston,* are performed by the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, or some one of them. [Act 1843, ch. 7.]

Samuel D. Parker, *Attorney.*

Thomas W. Phillips, *Clerk.*

Henry Homer, *Crier and Messenger.*

SHERIFFS AND CORONERS.

Joseph Eveleth, *Sheriff.*

Jabez Pratt,
Watson Freeman,
Silas P. Tarbell,
Daniel J. Coburn,
Erastus Rugg, Chelsea,
} *Deputies.*

Jabez Pratt, William Andrews, Charles Smith, *Coroners.*

POLICE COURT.

John Gray Rogers, James C. Merrill, Abel Cushing, } *Justices of the Police Court and of the Justices' Court.* Salary $1,500. [Rev. St. ch. 87.]

Thomas Power, *Clerk.* Salary $1,500. [Ord. p. 89.]

William Knapp, *Assistant Clerk.* Salary $1,100. [Rev. St. ch. 87.]

Jonas Stratton, *Messenger,* Salary $33.33 per month.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Francis Tukey, *City Marshal.* Salary $1,800. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen in May or June. Sup. Ord. p. 53.]

Hezekiah Earl, *Deputy Marshal.* Salary $800. [Nominated by the Marshal and approved by the Mayor and Aldermen. Sup. Ord. p. 53.]

[Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen.]

Charles P. Philbrick, *Superintendent of Coaches, Cabs, &c.*

James Arnold, *Superintendent of Trucks, Wagons, &c.*

DAY POLICE.

Samuel G. Adams,
John Boardman,
Silas Carleton,
Derastus Clapp,
Lucian B. Drury,
Joshua Dunbar,
Jacob Hook,
Rufus Leighton,
James W. Pierce,
John C. Pattee,
Lysander Ripley,
Charles B. Rice,
Zenas E. Smith,
Charles B. Starkweather,
Oliver H. Spurr,
Elijah K. Spoor,
Ebenezer Shute, jr.
Archibald E. Towle,
Robert Taylor,
Willard J. Whiting.

NIGHT POLICE.

Alexander Hopkins,
Samuel B. Fuller,
Andrew Adams,
Francis D. Brown,
William Burgess,
George Churchill,
Calvin Chesley,
John G. Dunbar,
William D. Eaton,
Daniel Hardy,
Calvin Hutchins,
Mark F. Hinckley,
Benjamin Heath,
Luther A. Ham,
William K. Jones,
Reuben P. Moore,
Benjamin Pettingill,
Atwell Richardson,
Ephraim B. Richards,
William B. Tarleton.

SUNDAY POLICE.

Alvah Cloutman,
John Crocker,
Samuel Dillaway,
Thomas Dolliver,
John T. Lawton,
Lawson B. Patterson,
Thomas M. Smith,
Nathaniel F. Stevens,
James E. Spear,
Samuel S. Vialle.

POLICE OFFICERS

Who have Warrants, but are not on duty.

Oliver T. Barnard,
David Briggs,
Stephen Burrows,
Martin T. Champney,
Perkins Cutter,
James H. Dixon,
Daniel L. Glidden,
Rufus Gove,
Harry C. Henry,
Joseph F. Hall,
Woodbury Jenness,
Lawson B. Patterson,
Paschal Paine,
Ira E. Sanborn,
James R. Turner,
Andrew T. Waterman,
Samuel Yeaton.

CONSTABLES.

Francis M. Adams,
Joseph W. Andrews,
William P. Baker
Josiah Baldwin,
Derastus Clapp,
Willard Clough,
Nathaniel Cooledge,
Isaac A. Cooledge,
George J. Cooledge,
Lucien B. Drury,
George J. Dexter,
William Easterbrooks,

Matthias Ellis,	Edwin Rice,
Elisha V. Glover,	Erastus W. Sanborn,
Richard Hosea,	Ebenezer Shute,
James Hunkins,	Thomas Sewards,
John C. Harrington,	Thomas M. Smith,
E. J. Jones,	Charles Smith,
Isaac B. Kimball,	Charles Sawin,
William Loring,	Jonas Stratton,
John T. Lawton,	Ebenezer Trescott,
Joseph W. Leighton,	Henry Taylor.
William Munroe,	Jacob C. Tallant,
David Patterson,	Jonathan Whipple,
James Pierce,	William Whitwell,
Jonathan Prescott,	William J. Whiting,
Thomas P. Ryder,	Samuel S. Vialle.

[City Ord. p. 77.]

WATCH DEPARTMENT.

James Barry, *Captain of the City Watch.* Salary $500. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen. City Ordinances, p. 282.]

The Watch Department consists of seven divisions, viz: the East, West, North, South—above Orange street and Boylston, from Summer street to Orange street, and South Boston and East Boston.

There are 14 Constables of the Watch, at $1.00 per night. 180 Watchmen, at 90 cents per night.

Nathaniel Cooledge, *Deputy Jailor.*

The Judge of Probate, and the Justices of the Police Court, are the *Inspectors of Prisons.* [Revised Statutes, p. 784. Act 1843, ch. 61, § 2.]

William Knapp, *Secretary to the Inspectors.*

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.

John H. Eastburn, *City Printer.* Work done by contract. [Mun. Reg. 1847, p. 44.]

There are seven newspapers in which the City Ordinances, Advertisements, &c. are published. They are the Daily Advertiser, Courier, Atlas, Post, morning papers. Daily Evening Transcript, Boston Journal, Daily Evening Traveller, evening papers. [Elected by joint order of the City Council. Compensation $150 each per annum.]

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Jerome V. C. Smith, *Port Physician.* Salary $1,400. [Chosen by the concurrent vote of the City Council, in May or June. Ordinances, p. 164.]

Jonathan Bruce, *Keeper of Rainsford Island and Captain of the Quarantine Boat.* He receives no salary for this service, but has the rent of the house and island free. An Assistant Boatman is paid for by the City. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen. Ordinances, p. 164.]

John C. Warren, George Hayward, George C. Shattuck, Jacob Bigelow, John Ware, *Consulting Physicians.* [Chosen by concurrent vote in May or June. City Ordinances, p. 175.]

Francis Lincoln, *Superintendent of Burials.* Salary $,1000. [Chosen by concurrent vote of the City Council, in May or June. "To be always first acted upon by the Mayor and Aldermen." City Ordinances, p. 189.]

UNDERTAKERS.

Samuel Winslow, No. 14 Commercial street.
Martin Smith, 15 Prospect street.
Henry Davis, 179 Hanover street.

Joseph Wilcutt, 35 Salem street.
Thomas Haskell, 95 Prince, corner of Salem street.
Thomas Andrews, 1 Arch place.
Francis Dillaway, 46 Eliot street.
Rodney Gove, rear of St. Paul's Church.
Caleb I. Pratt, 80 Summer street.
Oren Faxon, 5 Orange street.
William A. Brabiner, B, corner of Silver st., S. Boston.
Franklin Smith, 2 Seaver place.
Richard Dillon, 3 Fayette court.
John Peak, 1 Leverett street.
Timothy Nunan, corner of B and Fourth streets, S. Boston.
Charles Houghton, Fourth street, South Boston.
Levi L. Whitcomb, Saratoga street, East Boston.
Constant T. Benson, 65 Prince street.
George Johnson, rear of 35 Pitts street.
Harem Merrill, 30 Chambers street.
Joseph W. Andrews, 27 Hull street.
John White, Lewis street, East Boston.
Obed Pratt, 24 Vine street.
Levi Whitcomb, in the rear of Marlboro' Chapel.
John Wilcutt, 20 Silver street, South Boston.
Seth Hall, Church street, under the meeting house.
John S. Emerson, Pembroke street.
William Cooley, 30 Tyler street.

Charles B. Wells, *Superintendent of Common Sewers.* Salary $1,200. [Chosen by concurrent vote in May or June. Sup. City Ordinances, p. 64.]

The Mayor and Aldermen, *Surveyors of Highways.* [Ordinances, pp. 105 and 258.]

Thomas Hunting, *Superintendent of Streets.* Salary $1,400. [Chosen by concurrent vote, (first acted on by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen,) in January or February. City Ordinances, p. 260.]

PUBLIC LANDS AND BUILDINGS, LAMPS AND BRIDGES.

James McAllister, *Superintendent of Public Buildings.* Salary $1,100. [Chosen by concurrent vote in April or May. City Ordinances, p. 298. Sup. Ord. p. 55.]

——— ———, *Superintendent of Public Lands.* [Chosen in February or March. Mun. Reg. p. 43.]

Daniel Rhodes, *Clerk of Faneuil Hall Market.* Salary $1,000. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen, in June or July. Sup. City Ordinances, p. 71.]

Sullivan Sawin, *Weigher.* Salary $35 per month.

Thomas Kettell, *Deputy Clerk.* Salary $50 per month.

Thomas Bennett, *Assistant Clerk and Police Officer.* $2 per day.

James Barry, *Superintendent of Lamps.* Salary $500 per annum. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen. City Ordinances, p. 214.]

There are 540 Gas Lamps, 1,302 Oil Lamps, 8 Gas Lighters and 19 Oil Lighters. The Gas Lighters receive 25 cents per Lamp per month of 21 nights. The Oil Lighters receive 32¾ cents per Lamp per month of 21 nights.

Samuel Jenkins, *Superintendent of the North Free Bridge.* Salary $600. [Chosen by concurrent vote, "first acted upon by the Mayor and Aldermen," in January or February. City Ordinances, p. 268.]

Abner J. Gaffield, *Superintendent of the South Free Bridge.* Salary $300. [Chosen by concurrent vote, "first acted upon by the Mayor and Aldermen," in January or February. Sup. Ord. p. 6.]

Daniel Merrill, *Keeper of the County Court House.* Salary $700.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief Engineer,

WILLIAM BARNICOAT, 273 Tremont street. Salary $1,200.

Assistant Engineers. Salary $150 *each.*

Henry Smith,	25 Portland street.
Charles S. Clark,	Clark street.
John Shelton,	8 Hartford place.
Joshua Jacobs,	133 Court street.
George W. Bird,	Suffolk street.
Thomas French,	Webster street, East Boston,
Brewster Raynolds,	Corner of E street, S. Boston.

Henry Hart, *Clerk.* Salary $500.

Foremen of Engines.

Suffolk Co. No. 1.	*Suffolk street.*
William L. Champney,	Canton street.
Washington Co. No. 3.	*Salem street.*
William Dyke,	13 Snowhill street.
Protection Co. No. 4.	*Paris street, East Boston,*
Anson Ellms,	Cross street, East Boston.
Lyman Co. No. 5.	*Dock square.*
Horace S. Gorham,	22 Causeway street,
Howard Co. No. 7.	*Purchase street.*
Caleb S. McClennen,	1 Ingersoll place.
Tremont Co. No. 8.	*Tremont street.*
James M. Welch,	17 London street.
Despatch Co. No. 9.	*Hudson street.*
William E. Hearsey,	3 Oliver place.
Hancock Co. No. 10.	*Friend street.*
James Quinn,	13 North Margin street.
Maverick Co. No. 11.	*Paris street, East Boston,*
Thomas Brown,	Chelsea street.

Eagle Co. No. 12.	*Washington, near Dover st.*
Elisha Smith, Jr.,	9 London street.
Melvill Co. No. 13.	*Leverett street.*
William Jepson,	70 Poplar street.
Cataract Co. No. 14.	*Foot of Mt. Vernon street.*
Theodore P. Bowker,	Cor. Pinckney and Charles st.
Boston Co. No. 15.	*Commercial street.*
Henry S. Ellms,	2 Moon street.
Perkins Co. No. 16.	*Broadway, South Boston.*
John Davis, Jr.,	Broadway,
Mazeppa Co. No. 17.	*Broadway, South Boston,*
John R. Butler,	Silver street.
Lafayette Co. No. 18.	*Tremont Row.*
Frederick A. Colburn,	Franklin street.
Old North Co. No. 19.	*Eagle Hill, East Boston.*
Nathaniel Seaver,	Hotel street.
Extinguisher Co. No. 20.	*East street.*
Elbridge G. Damrell,	East street place.
Warren H. & L. Co. No. 1.	*Friend street.*
Timothy K. Tripp,	17 Cross street.
City Hose Co. No. 1.	*Tremont Row.*
Richard S. Martin,	118 Charles street.

There are attached to the Department, 17 Foremen of Engine, Hook and Ladder, and Hose Companies, at $125 each; 17 Assistant Foremen, at $100 each; 17 Clerks, at $100 each; 17 Stewards, at $100 each; 574 Members, at $80 each; 3 Foremen, at $50 each; 3 Assistant Foremen, at $40 each; 3 Clerks, at $40 each; 4 Stewards, at $40 each; 108 Members, at $30 each.

The Engineers are chosen annually by the Mayor and Aldermen, with the concurrence of the Common Council. [Ordinances, p. 129, and Sup. Ordinances, p. 16.]

SURVEYOR GENERAL OF LUMBER.

[By concurrent vote in February. Sup. Ord. p. 39.]

FRANCIS BULLARD,
Office No. 112 Milk street.

Deputy Surveyors appointed by the Surveyor General.

Surveyors of Pine Lumber.

Charles Bullard,	No. 8 Fayette street.
George W. Cram,	45 Warren street.
George Davis,	4 Brookline street.
George Dupee,	233 Tremont. south of Pleasant st.
George Hall,	16 Spring street.
Rolun Hartshorn,	38 Harrison avenue.
Joseph F. Huntress,	39 Oak street.
Charles Hersey,	52 Allen street.
William Keith,	Lyndeboro' place.
John Lefavor,	Centre street, East Boston.
George Page,	Broadway, South Boston.
Eben M. Plummer,	No. 3 Snelling place.
Amasa G. Smith,	29 Marion street.
Seth Thaxter,	83 Warren street.
Samuel Waldron,	Fourth, near B street, S. Boston.

Surveyor of Mahogany and Cedar.

Nathaniel Bryant,	No. 31 Dover street.

Surveyors of Oak, Hard Wood, &c.

Seth Brooks,	Saratoga street, East Boston.
Gad Leavitt,	Franklin House.

The following officers are first elected by the Mayor and Aldermen, with the concurrence of the Common Council. They are all paid by fees. [Ordinances, p. 105.]

Inspectors of Lime.—Zephaniah Sampson, Joel Wheeler

Fence Viewers.—Romanus Emerson, Rolun Hartshorn.

Culler of Dry Fish.—Benjamin Luckis.

Culler of Hoops and Staves.—James Brown.

Assay Master.—Isaac Babbitt.

Field Drivers and Pound Keepers.—William Fisk, Thomas Gerrish, Timothy McIntire, Ira E. Sanborn, David Briggs.

Surveyor of Hemp.—Benjamin Rich.

The following officers are appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen.

Superintendent of Alien Passengers.—Jotham B. Munroe. Salary $500, and 10 per cent. on all moneys received, but not to exceed the further sum of $700. [Sup. Ordinances, p. 3.]

Weighers of Hay, &c.—Ebenezer Clough, John R. Bradford. [Ordinances, p. 150, and Sup. Ordinances, p. 33.]

Measurer of Upper Leather.—William Bragden.

Measurers of Wood and Bark, brought by Land.—John R. Bradford, Amos Bates, William Shattuck, William Fiske, Moses Hadley, Hollis Moore. [Ordinances, p. 289.]

Measurers of Wood, brought by Water.—Jonathan Thaxter, Warren Bowker, Daniel A. Rogers, John Paul.

Weigher of Boats and Lighters.—Edward Loring. [Appointed in April or May. Ordinances, p. 43.]

City Crier.—Samuel T. Edwards. [Licensed from time to time, until the first day of May following. Ord. p. 97.]

Sealers of Weights and Measures.—John M. Dearborn, Edward Loring. [Ordinances, p. 284.]

Inspectors and Weighers of Bundle Hay.—Joseph Hockey, Elbridge G. Dudley, Azor Maynard, Israel M. Barnes, Samuel Lane, Ebenezer H. Redding, Samuel B. Livermore, B. M. Nevers.

PUBLIC CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

The Directors, Overseers and Visiters of the Houses, the Master of the House of Correction, and the Superintendent and Steward of the Boston Lunatic Hospital, are chosen by concurrent vote of the City Council. The other officers are appointed by the Directors of the different Houses.

HOUSES OF INDUSTRY AND REFORMATION.

Directors.—Joseph Lewis, *Chairman*, Daniel Henchman, Artemas Simonds, James Means, Thomas Hollis, Nathaniel H. Emmons, Thomas Tarbell, Samuel Leeds, Alfred A. Wellington. [Chosen in May. Ordinances, p. 196.]

Superintendent.—Friend Crane. Salary $1,000, and board in House.

Assistant Superintendent.—Thomas Seward. Salary $650, without Board.

Clerk of Directors.—Artemas Simonds. Salary $800.

In the House of Industry, there is a Matron's Assistant, Overseer of Clothing and Overseer of Kitchen, who receive $204 each, from the City. There are also paid by the Trustees of the Boylston and Mason Funds to the Chaplain, $500; Teacher of Boys, $500; and three females each $156.

In the House of Reformation Department, there is paid to the Male Teacher, $500, and his Assistant, $300; and to the Matron, $200. [Appointed by the Directors.]

There are two Assistant Farmers, one at a salary of $300, and one at $240, whose services are for both Houses.

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

Overseers.—William T. Andrews, *Chairman*, George Darracott, Uriel Crocker, James Clark, and one vacancy. Chosen from time to time, generally in the month of May. [Ordinances, p. 193. Sup. Ord. p. 38.]

Master.—Charles Robbins. Salary $1,000, and board in House.

Clerk to Master.—R. W. Crossett. Salary $300, and board in House.

Clerk to Overseers.—Eliphalet P. Hartshorn. Salary $700.

Chaplain.—Rev. Shipley W. Wilson. Salary $600.

There is also paid to six male Assistants, $300 each, and board; and three female Assistants, $200 each. Also, to one Cook, $3 00 per week; and one Domestic, $1 50 per week.

BOSTON LUNATIC HOSPITAL.

Visiters.—Andrew T. Hall, *Chairman*, Otis Clapp, Charles Edward Cook, Bradley N. Cumings, George Savage, John P. Ober, George R. Sampson. [Chosen in January or February. Mun. Reg. p. 26.]

Secretary.—Samuel F. McCleary, Jr. Salary, $100.

Charles H. Stedman, M. D., *Superintendent and Physician* to the above Institutions. Salary $1,200, and board in the House. [Chosen in September or October. Sup. Ord. p. 50.]

There are also attached to this Institution,

Sumner Crosby, Steward, Salary $600 per year.
Harriot Crosby, Matron, " $200 " "

Seven male Attendants and Assistants, $180 each; five female Attendants and Assistants, $130 each; one Laundress and one Housekeeper, at $156 each; two male Assistants, at $180 each per year; two Cooks, at $2 00 per week; one Sempstress, at $2 00 per week; Table and Chamber Girl, at $2 00 per week.

The Gate Keeper to the enclosure of the institutions at South Boston receives a Salary of $575, which amount is shared by the three institutions.

DEER ISLAND HOSPITAL FOR ALIEN PASSENGERS.

Committee.—George E. Head, *Chairman;* Frederick Gould, Billings Briggs, John P. Ober, George R. Sampson, Samuel Topliff, James Boynton, Alvan Simonds, Samuel W. Hall, Richard B. Carter, John P. Putnam. [Appointed by City Council.]

Superintendent and Physician.—John M. Moriarty, M. D. Salary $1,200. [Chosen and Salary fixed by the Committee.]

Steward. James R. Turner. Salary $600. [Chosen and Salary fixed by the Committee.]

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

[Charter, § 19, 34.]

[*Chosen in each Ward where they reside.*]

Ward.	Ward.
1—Elijah Stearns.	7—Thomas Tarbell.
2—Ephraim Milton.	8—John W. Warren, jr.
3—Moses C. Greene.	9—Joseph Lewis.
4—William Freeman.	10—Samuel Millard.
5—Daniel Henchman.	11—William Willett.
6—Paul Adams.	12—Thomas Blasland.

James Phillips, *Secretary.* Salary $800.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

[Sup. Ord. p. 58.]

Josiah Quincy, Jr., Mayor, *Chairman*,
Benj. Seaver, *President Common Council*, } *ex officiis.*

[*The following are Chosen in each Ward.*]

Ward.	Ward.
1..Rev. Sebastian Streeter, John Spence, jr.	7..Rev. Charles Brooks, Rev. Geo. W. Blagden.
2..James H. Barnes, James Ayer.	8..Benjamin Willis, jr. Benjamin E. Bates.
3..Rev. Rollin H. Neale, Edward D. G. Palmer.	9..Thomas M. Brewer, Edward Wigglesworth.
4..Richard Soule, jr. George B. Emerson.	10..Rev. J. I. T. Coolidge, Arthur Pickering.
5..Frederick Emerson, Ninian C. Betton.	11..Joseph M. Wightman, Rev. Samuel B. Cruft.
6..Sampson Reed, John Codman.	12..Rev. Geo. W. Bosworth, Samuel H. Jenks.

Samuel F. McCleary, *Secretary.*

SUB-COMMITTEES.

Books—Messrs. G. B. Emerson, Neale, Cruft, and Jenks.

To confer with Primary School Committee—Messrs. F. Emerson, Ayer, and Palmer.

Music—Messrs. Brooks, Coolidge, and Willis.

On Erection, Alteration, and Ventilation of School Houses. Messrs. Barnes, G. B. Emerson, and Brooks.

SUB-COMMITTEES OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

SCHOOLS.	LOCATION.	SUB-COMMITTEES.
Latin, - - -	*Bedford Street*, - -	Messrs. The Mayor, Wigglesworth, Codman, Reed and Cruft.
English High,	*Bedford Street*, - -	" G. B. Emerson, Betton, Wightman, Blagden and Pickering.
Lyman, - - -	*East Boston*, - -	" Soule, Barnes and Spence.
Eliot, - - -	*North Bennet Street*,	" Ayer, Streeter and Palmer.
Endicott, - -	*Cooper Street*, - -	" Streeter, Barnes and Spence.
Hancock, - -	*Hanover Street* - -	" Barnes, Neale and Spence.
Mayhew, - -	*Hawkins Street*, -	" Neale, Soule and Codman.
Bowdoin, - -	*Derne Street*, - -	" Reed, G. B. Emerson and Brewer.
Boylston, - -	*Washington Place*,	" Bates, Bosworth and Willis.
Adams, - - -	*Mason Street*, - -	" Blagden, Brooks and Bates.
Franklin, - -	*Washington Street*,	" Coolidge, Wightman and Jenks.
Wells, - - -	*McLean Street*, - -	" Betton, F. Emerson and Palmer.
Hawes, - - -	*South Boston*, - -	" Bosworth, Jenks and Bates.
Mather, - -	*South Boston*, - -	" Jenks, Bosworth and Willis.
Johnson, - -	*Tremont Street*, -	" Brooks, Pickering and Brewer.
Winthrop, - -	*East Street*, - - -	" Brewer, Coolidge and Wigglesworth.
Brimmer, - -	*Common Street*, -	" Wightman, Pickering and Cruft.
Phillips, - -	*Pinckney Street*, -	" Codman, Betton and Streeter.
Otis - - - -	*Lancaster Street*, -	" Palmer, Ayer and F. Emerson.
Dwight, - -	*Concord Street*, - -	" Cruft, Wightman and Pickering.
Quincy, - - -	*Tyler Street*, - -	" Brewer, Wigglesworth and Neale.
Smith, - - -	*Belknap Street*, - -	" Reed, Coolidge and Soule.

INSTRUCTERS IN THE VARIOUS SCHOOLS.

NOTE. All Grammar and Writing Masters have a salary of $1,500 each; all Ushers in the Grammar and Writing Schools have a salary of $800 each; and all Assistants $300 each. [All the salaries are fixed by the School Committee.]

LATIN.

Epes S. Dixwell, *Master.* Salary $2,400.
Francis Gardner, *Sub-Master.* Salary $1,800.
Timothy D. Chamberlain, Salary $900; John P. Reynolds, Salary $800; and W. L. Ropes, Salary $800, *Ushers.*

ENGLISH HIGH.

Thomas Sherwin, *Master.* Salary $2,400.
Luther Robinson, *Sub-Master.* Salary $1,500.
Francis S. Williams, *Usher.* Salary $1,000.
Samuel M. Weston, *Usher.* Salary $800.

LYMAN.

Hosea H. Lincoln, *Master boys' school.*
Aaron L. Ordway, *Master girls' school.*
Martha A. Holmes, Julia M. Wiggin, Eliza L. Pierce, Mary E. Grant, F. L. Prescott, Sarah S. French, Mary O. Bulfinch, Bethia Nickerson and Flora Merrill, *Assistants.*

ELIOT.

William O. Ayres, *Grammar Master.*
Levi Conant, *Writing Master.*
Caroline W. Carter, Hannah Damon, Anna S. Carter, Martha West, Eliza L. Felt and Miss —— Kent, *Assistants.*

HANCOCK.

George Allen, jr., *Grammar Master.*
Peter Mackintosh, *Writing Master.*

Henrietta L. Pierce, Celia L. Gale, Sarah A. Dyke, Sarah E. White, Hannah S. Austin, Mary A. Lewis and Helen M. Johnson, *Assistants.*

ENDICOTT.

Loring Lothrop, *Master for girls' school.*
J. F. Nourse, *Master for boys' school.*
Mary A. Torrin, Angeline A. Brigham, Ann M. Wight, Malvina R. Brigham, Caroline W. Keith, M. P. Colesworthy, *Assistants.*

MAYHEW.

William D. Swan, *Master.*
Winslow Battles, *Sub-Master.*
John C. Dore, *Usher.*
Mary J. Walker, Eliza L. West, Ann B. Moulton and Eliza D. Moulton, *Assistants.*

BOWDOIN.

Abraham Andrews, *Grammar Master.*
James Robinson, *Writing Master.*
Mary A. Murdock, Rebecca Lincoln, Caroline E. Andrews, Mary S. Robinson, Eliza B. Mitchell, Sarah M. Mitchell, Elizabeth P. Snow, *Assistants.*

BOYLSTON.

Thomas Baker, *Grammar Master.*
Charles Kimball, *Writing Master.*
Clarinda R. F. Treadwell, Matilda Oliver, Susan J. M. Jones, Catherine H. Grover and Mary A. Harris, *Assistants.*

ADAMS.

Samuel Barrett, *Grammar Master.*
Samuel W. Bates, *Writing Master.*
Ira Cheever and Bartholomew Wood, *Ushers.*
Mary S. Brigham and Mary E. Beck, *Assistants.*

FRANKLIN.

Barnum Field, *Grammar Master.*
Nathan Merrill, *Writing Master.*

Hannah S. Tirrell, Sarah Ann Gale, Catherine T. Simonds, S. A. M. Cushing, Lucy M. Beck and Caroline A. Greene, *Assistants.*

WELLS.

Cornelius Walker, *Grammar Master.*
Reuben Swan, jr. *Writing Master.*
William H Swan, *Usher.*
Matilda A. Gerry, Caroline F. Housley, Frances A. Collins and Adeline F. Dinsmore, *Assistants.*

HAWES, S. BOSTON.

Frederick Crafts, *Master for girls' school.*
John A. Harris, *Master for boys' school.*
Charles A. Morrill, *Usher.*
Julia M. Baxter, Mary E. Clark, H. Maria Manning and Mary E. Chadwick, *Assistants.*

MATHER, S. BOSTON.

Josiah A. Stearns, *Grammar Master.*
Jonathan Battles, jr., *Writing Master.*
George T. Angell, *Usher.*
Mary A. Moody, Lucy Floyd, Rebecca A. Chipman, Ann J. Drake and Mary A. Pease, *Assistants.*

JOHNSON.

Richard G. Parker, *Master of northern school.*
Joseph Hale, *Master of southern school.*
Rebecca P. Barry, Martha E. Towne, Hannah W. Mudge, Almira Seymour, Helen E. Vans, Mary Jane Danforth, and M. W. Symmes, *Assistants.*

WINTHROP.

Henry Williams, jr., *Master of northern school.*
Samuel L. Gould, *Master of southern school.*
E. W. Shelton, Olive E. Reynolds, F. M. Oliver, Mary C. Weed, Eliza Briggs and Caroline E. Fales, *Assistants.*

BRIMMER.

Joshua Bates, *Grammar Master.*
William A. Shepard, *Writing Master.*

Percival W. Bartlett and John Butler, *Ushers.*
Abba F. Goodridge and Mary A. Collier, *Assistants.*

PHILLIPS.

Samuel S. Green, *Grammar Master.*
Samuel Swan, *Writing Master.*
Amphion Gates and John M. Colcord, *Ushers.*
Ellen M. Coolidge and Sarah H. Emerson, *Assistants.*

OTIS.

Isaac F. Shepard, *Grammar Master.*
Benjamin Drew, *Writing Master.*
Joshua R. Lothrop, *Usher.*
S. W. J. Copeland, Harriet N. Decker, Emeline French and C. S. Palmer, *Assistants.*

DWIGHT.

George B. Hyde, *Master.*
James A. Page, *Sub-Master.*
———— Sawyer, *Usher.*
Frances A. Tyler, Caroline G. Woodman, Clarissa Belknap, Clarissa Guild, Elizabeth G. Underhill and Harriet Johnson, *Assistants.*

QUINCY.

J. D. Philbrick, *Master.*
Charles E. Valentine, *Sub-Master.*
B. W. Putnam, *Usher.*
Lydia A. Bowler, Sarah G. Hay, Josephine L. Tucker, Almirah B. Coffin and S. C. Simonds, *Assistants.*

SMITH.

Ambrose Wellington, *Master.*
Sarah H. Southwick, *Assistant.*

ORGANIZATION OF THE PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

Committee, as appointed by School Committee, February, 1848.

EBEN JONES, PRESIDENT. ALVAN SIMONDS, SECRETARY.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

JOSEPH W. INGRAHAM, *Chairman*, 15 Spring street. ALVAN SIMONDS, *Secretary*, Broadway.

F. A. SUMNER, 4 Alden street.
WILLIAM P. JARVIS, Warren st, Chapel.
JOHN WOART, 44 Bedford street.
EBEN JONES, 30 Court street.
JOHN SPENCE, JR., 2 Baldwin place.
RICHARD SOULE, JR., Sumner street.
WILLIAM CROWELL, 5 Brimmer place.
DAVID KIMBALL, Hancock street.
THOMAS WILDER, 136 Sea street.

E. D. G. PALMER, 3 1-2 Portland street.
WILLIAM BUTTERS, Fourth street.
SAMUEL B. CRUFT, Suffolk street.
ALBERT BOWKER, Webster street.
JOSEPH M. WIGHTMAN, 69 Carver street.
OLIVER CARTER, 4 Garland street.
SAMUEL L ABBOTT, 72 Mt. Vernon street.
S. F. McCLEARY, Jr., 48 Chambers street.

COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL HOUSES.

JOSEPH W. INGRAHAM, *Chairman*,
THEODORE H. BELL, *Secretary*,
SAMUEL W. HALL,
THOMAS RESTIEAUX,
ELIJAH STEARNS,
ENOCH H. SNELLING,
FREDERICK CROSBY,

DAVID KIMBALL,
F. J. HUMPHREY,
BENJ. P. RICHARDSON,
DANIEL T. COIT,
HENRY I. BOWDITCH,
JOHN T. DINGLEY,

SAMUEL TOLMAN,
ISAAC ADAMS,
OBADIAH RICH,
GEORGE MERRILL,
HENRY R. ANDREWS.

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COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL BOOKS.

WILLIAM D. TICKNOR, AURELIUS D. PARKER, | HENRY G. CLARK, JOHN WOART, | CHARLES BROOKS.

COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE WITH THE GRAMMAR SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

EBEN JONES, | JOSEPH W. INGRAHAM, | ALVAN SIMONDS.

NO. AND TEACHER OF SCHOOL.	LOCATION.	VISITING COMMITTEE.

DISTRICT No. 1. (*East Boston.*)

JOHN ATKINS, *Chairman.* WILLIAM H. CALROW, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Sarah R. Pierce,	Bennington street,	George Sturtevant, Meridian street.
2	Sarah Ann Pray,	Sumner, corner of Paris street,	Joseph Robbins, Maverick street.
3	Elizabeth Lincoln,	Sumner street, 1st section,	Albert Bowker, Webster street.
4	Rosalinda Morse,	Border street,	Richard Soule, jr., Sumner street.
*5	Margaret R. Washburn,	Webster street,	John Atkins, Paris street.
6	Susan H. M. Swan,	Sumner street, 1st section,	Samuel W. Hall, Webster street.
7	Hannah C. Atkins,	Lexington street,	William H. Calrow, Bennington street
8	Abby Crosby,	Border street,	David Morgan, Sumner street.
9	Susan D. Wildes,	Sumner street, 1st section,	Thomas D. Demond, Webster street.
10	Catherine W. Lincoln,	Lexington street,	Ebenezer Atkins, Paris street.
*11	Mrs. M. H. Newcomb,	Border street,	Sewall F. Parcher, Maverick square.
*12	Laura A. Waterhouse,	Lexington street,	(E. Atkins.)
13	Miss Frances E. Tower,	Bennington street,	(Mr. Calrow.)
14	Mrs. Lucy C. Osborn,	Maverick square,	(J. Atkins)
15	Miss Charlotte P Libbey,	Webster street,	(Mr. Demond.)
16	Sarah M. Lincoln,	Sumner, corner Paris street,	(Mr. Robbins.)

NO. AND TEACHER OF SCHOOL.	LOCATION.	VISITING COMMITTEE.

DISTRICT No. 2.

JOSEPH W. INGRAHAM, *Chairman.* AMOS SMITH, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Martha F. Boody,	Tileston street, corner of Short,	Amos Smith, 12 Elliot street.
2	Mary S. Gale,	Snowhill street,	Joseph W. Ingraham, 15 Spring street.
3	Mary Ann Blake,	Snowhill street,	Henry G. Clark, 184 Hanover street.
4	Hannah E. Coolidge,	Moon street, corner of Fleet,	John Woart, 44 Bedford street.
5	Susan Page,	Moon street, corner of Fleet,	
*6	Betsey L. Canedy,	Eliot school house,	
†7	Rebecca D. Viles,	Sun-court street,	
8	Martha Ann Dudley,	Short street, corner of Tileston,	

DISTRICT No 3.

SAMUEL P. OLIVER, *Chairman.* ALEXANDER WOOD, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Abigail S. Rich,	Christ Church Vestry,	S. P. Oliver, 96 Salem street.
2	Eliza T. Hook,	Rear of 22 Charter street,	Rowland Ellis, 186 Hanover street.
3	Mary S. Stoddard,	Hanover Avenue,	William H. Learnard, 12 Snowhill st.
4	Amelia H. Whitmore,	Rear of 22 Charter street,	Alexander Wood, 109 Salem street.
5	Sarah B. Smith,	Hanover Avenue,	T. Restieaux, Hanover, corner Cross st.
6	Mary A. Cushing,	Rear of 22 Charter street,	John P. Ober, 22 Charter street.
*7	Harriet W. Barker,	Hanover Avenue,	

DISTRICT No. 4.

ELIJAH STEARNS, *Chairman.* JOHN SPENCE, Jr., *Secretary.*

1	Miss Nancy B. Seaver,	N. Margin, opposite Baptist Meeting H.	Charles E. Wiggin, 12 Sheafe street.
2	Ann Maria Whitney,	N. Margin, opposite Baptist Meeting H.	Elijah Stearns, Salem, corner Prince st.
3	Charlotte Seaman,	Bennet Avenue,	John B. McCleary, 82 Prince street.
4	Aphia Turner,	Bennet Avenue,	Dexter W. Wiswell, 72 Prince street.
5	Frances Sherman,	Thacher street,	Henry D. Fowle, 33 Prince street.
6	Elizabeth F. Pettes,	Thacher street,	John Spence, jr., 2 Baldwin place.
*7	Janette S. S. Hook,	Thacher street,	Isaiah Faxon, 71 Salem street.

DISTRICT No. 5.

WILLIAM EATON, *Chairman.* E. D. G. PALMER, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Catharine W. Callender,	Parkman place,	E. D. G. Palmer, 3 1-2 Portland street.
2	Margaret W. Hall,	Parkman place,	George W. Parmenter, 180 Hanover st.
3	Mary E. Parker,	Hancock school house,	E. H. Snelling, 108 Salem street.
4	Anna M. Snelling,	Hancock school house,	George Hubbard, 56 1-2 Hanover street.
*5	Harriet M. Warren,	Universalist Vestry, Bennet street,	Joseph F. White, Hanover, corner Fleet st.
6	Frances E. Wilkins,	Richmond street,	William Eaton, 63 Salem street.

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DISTRICT No. 6.

A. G. WYMAN, *Chairman.* CHARLES H. ATWOOD, *Secretary.*

1	Mrs Sarah N. Swan,	Otis school house,	Eben. H. Little, 75 Leverett street.
2	Miss Frances A. Chester,	Otis school house,	Loammi Crosby, 21 Hancock street.
3	Anne A. James,	Court House, Leverett street,	Abraham G. Wyman, Green street.
4	Matilda Merriam,	Spring street place,	Frederick Crosby, 79 Leverett street.
5	Mary Townsend,	Spring street place,	(F. Crosby.)
6	Mrs. Elizabeth S. Grater,	4 Milton street,	Charles H. Atwood, 25 Green street.
7	Miss Elizabeth S. Foster,	4 Milton street,	S. F. McCleary, jr., 48 Chambers street.
*8	Augusta H. Foster,	Court House, Leverett street,	J. V. C. Smith, 12 Bowdoin street.
9	Anna M. Millett,	Court House, Leverett street,	James Fowle, 37 Chambers street.

DISTRICT No. 7.

FRANCIS BROWN, *Chairman.* NATHANIEL P. KEMP, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Mary A. Howe,	Friend street,	Theodore H Bell, 155 Washington street.
2	Catharine A. Jones,	Friend street,	James Whiting, 6 Hawkins place.
*3	Sophia White,	Mayhew school house,	Francis Brown, 83 Leverett street.
4	Lucy A. Clark,	Mayhew school house,	F. A. Sumner, 4 Alden street.
5	Bethia Whiting,	Mayhew school house,	Thomas B. Hawkes, 10 Exchange street.
6	Mrs. Harriet Whipple,	South Margin street,	Nathaniel P. Kemp, 28 Cornhill.
7	Miss Sarah P. Hutchinson,	Merrimac street,	William R. Horton, 1 Allen street.

NO. AND TEACHER OF SCHOOL.	LOCATION.	VISITING COMMITTEE.

DISTRICT No. 8.

DAVID KIMBALL, *Chairman.* FREDERICK O. PRINCE, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Elizabeth Ford,	Blossom street,	William E. Townsend, 2 Bowdoin street.
2	Sarah A. Cushing,	Blossom street,	Frederick O. Prince, 23 Chambers street.
3	Elizabeth C. Barrett,	Blossom street,	John Bigelow, 42 Blossom street.
4	Mary S. Watts,	Wells school house,	David Kimball, 28 Washington street.
†5	Marianne Stevens,	Smith school house, Belknap street,	James B. Dow, 141 Washington street.
6	Maria Jenkins,	Temple street,	E. Augustus Hobart, 45 Pinckney street.
†*7	Harriet H. King,	Belknap st. meeting house Vestry,	(Mr. Dow.)

DISTRICT No. 9.

A. D. PARKER, *Chairman.* S. L. ABBOTT, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Sarah C. Moore,	Phillips school house,	Aurelius D. Parker, 20 Court street.
2	Lydia Poole,	May street,	Richard W. Bayley, 14 Avon place.
3	Mary E. Henry,	May street,	Elphalet P. Hartshorn, 24 Blossom street.
4	Elizabeth B. Hartshorn,	West Cedar street,	Alfred T. Turner, 59 Pinckney street.
5	T. Chamberlain,	West Cedar street,	
*6	Elizabeth S Kidder,	West Cedar street,	Francis J. Humphrey, 1 Myrtle street.
7	Martha L. Kidder,	Phillips school house,	Samuel L. Abbott, 72 Mount Vernon street.

DISTRICT No. 10.

EBEN JONES, *Chairman.* WILLIAM HOWE, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Adeline Lincoln,	Fort Hill,	Lorenzo S. Cragin, 82 Mount Vernon st.
2	Celeste Weed,	Lane Place,	Eben Jones, 30 Court street.
3	Mrs. Martha W. Cook,	Fort Hill,	William Howe, 11 Chambers street.
4	Miss A. M. Lecain,	Fort Hill,	Benjamin P. Richardson, 66 High street.
5	Mrs. Sarah M. Messer,	Lane Place,	Charles A. Phelps, 82 Tremont street.
*6	Charlotte A. Curtis,	Lane Place,	Fred'k H. Stimpson, Congress, cor. Water
7	Miss Helen I. Hopkins,	Lane Place,	Oliver Dimon, 35 Court street.
8	Abigail M. Parker,	Lane Place,	J. B. Hutchinson, 36 Pearl street.
9	Harriet B. Cutler,	Purchase street Vestry,	

DISTRICT No. 11.

T. R. MARVIN, *Chairman.* CHARLES STIMPSON, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Angelia M. Newmarch,	13 Williams street,	Charles Brooks, 12 Bedford street.
2	Rebecca R. Thayer,	Franklin street,	Oliver Ditson, 115 Washington street.
3	Anna M. W. Read,	Purchase place,	Charles Stimpson, 106 Washington street.
4	Elizabeth J. Burton,	13 Williams street,	Josiah F. Bumstead, 134 Washington st.
5	Abigail W. Wilder,	Odeon place,	Wm. D. Ticknor, 135 Washington street.
6	Lucy H Greene,	Harvard place,	N. Davies Cotton, 13 Tremont Row.
*7	Mrs. Rachel Read,	13 Williams street,	T. R. Marvin, 24 Congress street.

DISTRICT No. 12.

DANIEL T. COIT, *Chairman.* WILLIAM B. UPHAM, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Mary A. Parker,	Winthrop school house,	Azor Maynard, 40 Hudson street.
2	Mary J. Parker,	Essex place,	Charles C. Barry, 21 Orange street.
3	Harriet A. Parker,	South street court,	Daniel T. Coit, 12 High street,
4	Eliza Ann Parker,	South street court,	William B. Upham, 77 Summer street.
5	Mary Williams,	Essex place,	Elisha Field, 42 Porter street.
*6	Mrs. Ann Juliet Loring,	Essex place,	E. W. Blake, 28 Harrison Avenue.
7	Miss Elizabeth C. Frink,	South street court,	N. Metcalf, 24 Franklin street.
8	Sarah E. Tead,	Winthrop school house,	E. F. Messenger, 395 Washington street.
9	Mary E. Fessenden,	South, corner of Summer street,	Asaph B. Child, 1 Albany street.
10	Mercy B. Delano,	Kingston, corner of Essex street,	Thomas Wilder, 136 Sea street.
11	Martha K. Perry,	Beach, corner of South street,	(Mr Wilder.)
*12	Frances Torrey,	Sea street.	(Mr. Field.)

DISTRICT No. 13.

WILLIAM CROWELL, *Chairman.* DANIEL B. NEWHALL, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Charlotte Gorham,	Court in Mason street,	Henry I. Bowditch, 8 Otis place.
2	Eliza A Shearer,	Harvard street vestry,	William Crowell, 5 Brimmer place.
3	Louisa A. Sargent,	Newbern place,	Daniel B. Newhall, 33 Carver street.
4	Mary Swett,	Common street,	Henry Burroughs, 484 Washington street.
5	Anna M. Brown,	Court in Mason street,	John Odin, jr., 88 Tremont street.
6	Hannah L Billings,	Newbern place,	Greenleaf C. Sanborn, 5 Exchange street.
*7	Hannah E. Moore,	Harvard street Vestry,	(Mr. Crowell)
8	Sarah R. Bowles,	Common street,	George M. Randall, Harrison avenue.
9	Temperance S. Blish,	Common street,	(Dr. Odin.)

NO. AND TEACHER OF SCHOOL.	LOCATION.	VISITING COMMITTEE.

DISTRICT No. 14.

JOHN T. DINGLEY, *Chairman.* HORACE DUPEE, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Harriet A. T. Stodder,	South Cedar street,	Joseph M. Wightman, 69 Carver street.
2	C. M. E. Richardson,	Newbern place,	John T. Dingley, 17 Fayette street.
3	Julia A. Fletcher,	Universalist Vestry, Warren street,	A. A. Watson, Harrison Avenue.
4	Elizabeth D. Brown,	Harvard street Vestry,	Horace Dupee, Washington street,
*5	Mary M. Dingley,	South Cedar street,	Thacher Beal, 249 Tremont street.
6	Frances E. Field,	South Cedar street,	Alfred Mudge, 60 Pleasant street,

DISTRICT No. 15.

WILLIAM DALL, *Chairman.* OLIVER CARTER, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Eliza Ann Tirrell,	Castle street, corner of Middlesex,	Samuel Tolman, 9 Orange street.
2	Caroline A. Miller,	Franklin school house,	William Dall, 668 Washington street.
3	Mary Jane Smith,	Franklin school house,	Oliver Carter, 4 Garland street.
*4	Ellen H. Frothingham,	Franklin school house,	Wm. E. Blanchard, 687 Washington st.
5	Mrs. Mary E. Ridgway,	Franklin school house,	Benjamin H. Greene, 77 Dover street.
6	Miss Emeline Brown,	Erie street,	
7	Augusta Ann Minot,	Suffolk street,	

DISTRICT No. 16.

ALVAN SIMONDS, *Chairman.* ALBERT J. WRIGHT, *Secretary.*

1	Miss LucretiaS. Day,	Silver street,	Alvan Simonds, Broadway.
2	Jane P. Smiley,	Silver street,	William Eaton, B street.
3	Lucinda Smith,	Silver street,	Isaac Adams, Broadway.
4	Emily Baxter,	Mather school house,	Albert J. Wright, Atlantic street.
*5	Elizabeth C. Toombs,	Mather school house,	Charles J. F. Allen, Broadway.
6	Harriet M. Lawrence,	Rear Mather school house,	Joseph Smith, Broadway.
7	Hannah C. Merritt,	Silver street,	Solon Jenkins, Turnpike street.
8	Elizabeth Eaton,	Athens street,	Charles Mead, Turnpike street.
9	Mary Lincoln,	Athens street,	Cranston Howe, Broadway.
10	Eleanor Randall,	Phillips Church Vestry.	John D. Richardson, Fourth street.
*11	Mercy T. Cole,	Pike Hall,	John A. Stevens, Broadway.

DISTRICT No. 17.

HENRY HOMER, *Chairman.* WILLIAM BUTTERS, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Mary P. Bartlett,	Under Hawes place church,	Obadiah Rich, Lower Village.
2	Mrs. Lucinda Hathorne,	Rear Hawes school house,	Henry Homer, Fourth street.
3	Miss Mary Tilton,	Rear Hawes school house,	John W. Alvord, Broadway.
4	Ann Floyd,	Vestry of St. Matthew's church,	Wm. S. Thacher, Fourth street.
5	Joanna W. Davis,	Wright's court,	Theodore D. Cook, Fourth street.
6	Maria H. Fernald,	Under South Baptist church,	William Butters, Fourth street.
*7	Elizabeth M. Morrill,	Blanchard's building,	Osborn Howes, Broadway.
8	Angeline S. Mott,	Rear Lyceum Hall,	Samuel S. Perkins, Broadway.
9	Mary E. Stevens,	Blanchard's building,	Stephen Jenney, Broadway.
10	Susan W. Smith,	Near Hawes Place Church,	Seriah Stevens, Dorchester street.

DISTRICT No. 18.

GEORGE MERRILL, *Chairman.* WILLIAM P. JARVIS, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Jane S. Hobart,	Castle street, corner of Middlesex street,	George Merrill, 10 Orange street.
2	Caroline A. Jacobs,	Indiana street,	Samuel Wales, jr., 36 Carver street.
3	Mary A. M. Goodridge,	Indiana street,	William P. Jarvis, Warren street Chapel,
*4	Priscilla S. Taft,	Brimmer school house,	George R. Sampson, 563 Washington st.
5	Elizabeth Goodridge,	Brimmer school house,	(Mr. Sampson.)
6	E. Maria Simonds,	Erie street,	(Mr. Merrill.)

DISTRICT No. 19.

SAMUEL B. CRUFT, *Chairman.* HENRY R. ANDREWS, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Elizabeth W. Keith,	Dedham street,	Alvah Hobbs, Suffolk, corner Canton st.
2	Eliza R. Deeley,	On the Neck,	Henry R. Andrews, 3 Brookline street.
3	Mrs. Elizabeth Newman,	Northampton street,	Stephen Tucker, 837 Washington street.
4	Elizabeth C. Howe,	Dwight school house,	Edmund Jackson, 773 Washington st.
5	Miss Jane B Moulton,	Dwight school house,	A. Parker Melzar, Suffolk, cor Canton st.
6	Harriet S. Keith,	Dwight school house,	S. B. Cruft, Suffolk, corner Newton street.
7	Eliza C. Gould,	Dwight school house,	Frederick Schmidt, 792 Washington street.

WESTERN AVENUE.

Miss Jane G. Deane, - - - - - - *Executive Committee.*

*These are Schools for Special Instruction. Salaries of Teachers, $300 each, and $25 for care of each room.

†These are Schools for Colored Children.

WARD OFFICERS.

Ward No. 1.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
William Palfrey.	Robert Ripley, *Printer,*
	Thomas T. Hayden,
Clerk,	Jonas Ball,
James W. Pond.	James M. Badger,
	Jacob Rhoades.

Ward No. 2.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
Benjamin Wood, 2d.	Emery Goss,
	Daniel R. Sortwell,
Clerk,	George H. Seymore,
Samuel T. Rogers,	George T. Acres,
	Ansell Carr.

Ward No. 3.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
William Bellamy.	Thomas Sprague,
	William F. Stetson,
Clerk.	Samuel S. Sprague,
William B. Simpson.	Timothy K. Tripp,
	Osgood Noyes.

Ward No. 4.

Warden,	*Inspectors.*
George W. Crockett.	Frederick Brown,
	Benjamin Pond, Jr.
Clerk,	Kirk Boott,
James A. Abbot.	John B. Drew,
	John W. Rogers.

Ward No. 5.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
Emmons Raymond.	David Austin,
	William Pratt,
Clerk,	James W. Hobbs,
J. F. Marsh.	Joel W. Norcross,
	Edward W. Converse.

Ward No. 6.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
Ezra Lincoln.	Hartwell Lincoln,
	Gardner G. Hubbard,
Clerk,	Robert Andrews,
William B. Howes.	Daniel Sharp, Jr.
	Benjamin F. Burgess.

Ward No. 7.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
James W. Thornton.	Paschal P. P. Ware,
	George Dickinson,
Clerk,	William L. Plummer,
Thomas B. Hall.	John Jeffries, Jr.
	Thomas R. Foster.

Ward No. 8.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
Joseph H. Thayer.	Daniel B. Badger,
	George W. Goddard,
Clerk,	John B. Dexter, Jr.
Jonathan A. Lane.	Theophilus P. Kendall,
	James A. Weeks.

Ward No. 9.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
William B. Bradford.	John Carter, Jr.
	Abram French,
Clerk,	R. L. Meriam,
Stephen G. Deblois.	J. W. Meriam,
	Jacob A. Dresser.

Ward No. 10.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
George Woodman.	Jesse Tirrell,
	Robert W. Hall,
Clerk,	Samuel L. Bass,
Francis G. Whiston.	Enos H. Tucker, Jr.
	Daniel Brown.

Ward No. 11.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
William Dall.	Henry R. Andrews,
	Alfred Hammatt,
Clerk,	Albert T. Minot,
Isaac P. Clark.	Daniel Hamblen,
	Alden B. Quimby.

Ward No. 12.

Warden,	*Inspectors,*
Charles H. White.	Lewis Smith,
	William G. Read,
Clerk,	W. H. Tilden,
Horace Smith.	George W. Sprague,
	George W. Leonard.

WARDS,

As divided and established by an Ordinance of the City, passed September 20, 1838.

No. 1.—Beginning at Winnisimet Ferry, thence on the west side of Hanover st. to Richmond st.; thence on the north side of Richmond street., crossing Salem st. to Cooper st.; on north side of Cooper st.; crossing Charlestown st. to Beverly st.; thence on the east side of Beverly st. to the water.

No. 2.—Beginning at Winnisimet Ferry, thence on the easterly side of Hanover st. to Union st.; thence on the east side of Union st. to Dock square; thence on the north side of North Market st. to the water on the north side of City wharf.

No. 3.—Beginning at the water, thence on the westerly side of Beverly st. to Charlestown st.; thence on the southerly side of Cooper st. and Richmond st. to Hanover st.; thence on the northwesterly side of Hanover st. to Union st.; thence on the westerly side of Union st. to Elm st.; thence on the northerly side of Elm st. to Hanover st.; thence across Hanover st. to Portland st.; thence on the easterly side of Portland st. to Sudbury st.; thence on the north-westerly side of Sudbury st. to Hawkins st.; thence on the north-easterly side of Hawkins st. to Chardon st.; thence on the north-westerly side of Chardon st. to Green st.; thence on the north-easterly side of Green st. to Lyman place; thence on the east and north sides of Lyman place to Prospect st.; thence on the east side of Prospect st. to Causeway st.; thence on the north-easterly side of Lowell st. to the water.

No. 4.—Beginning at the north-easterly corner of City wharf, thence on the northerly side of City wharf to North

Market st.; thence on the southerly side of North Market st.; across Dock square to Elm st.; thence on the southerly side of Elm st. to Hanover st.; crossing Hanover st. to Portland st.; thence on the south-westerly side of Portland st. to Sudbury st.; thence on the south-easterly side of Sudbury st to Hawkins st.; thence on the south-westerly side of Hawkins st. to Chardon st.; thence on the south-easterly side of Chardon st. to Bowdoin square; thence on the south-westerly side of Green st. to Staniford st.; thence on the easterly side of Staniford st. to Cambridge st.; thence on the southerly side of Cambridge st. to Belknap st.; thence on the easterly side of Belknap st. to Mount Vernon st.; thence on the northerly and easterly sides of Mount Vernon st. to Beacon st.; thence on the northerly side of Beacon st. to Tremont st.; thence on the north-westerly side of Tremont st. to Court st.; thence on the northerly side of Court st. and State st. to Long wharf; thence on the southerly side of said wharf to the end thereof, including East Boston and all the islands in the harbor.

No. 5.—Beginning on the easterly end of Cambridge bridge, thence on the notherly side of Cambridge st. to Staniford st.; thence on the westerly side of Staniford st. to Green st.; crossing Green st. to Lyman place; thence on the westerly side of Lyman place to Prospect st.; thence on the westerly side of Prospect st., crossing Causeway st. to Lowell st.; thence on the south-westerly side of Lowell st. to the water.

No. 6. Beginning at the easterly end of Cambridge bridge, thence on the southerly side of Cambridge st. to Belknap st.; thence on the westerly side of Belknap st. to Beacon st.; thence on the northerly side of Beacon st. to the boundary line between Boston and Roxbury, on the Western avenue.

No. 7.—Beginning at the corner of Beacon st. and Belknap st.; thence on the easterly side of Belknap st. to Mount Vernon st.; thence on the southerly side of Mount Vernon st. to Beacon st.; thence on the southerly side of Beacon st. to Tremont st.; thence on the southeasterly side of Tremont st. to Court st.; thence on the southerly side

of Court st., crossing Washington st. to State st.; thence on the southerly side of State st. to Congress st.; thence on the westerly side of Congress st. to Milk st.; thence on the northerly side of Milk st. to Federal st.; thence on the westerly side of Federal st. to Franklin place; thence on the northerly side of Franklin place to Hawley st.; thence on the westerly side of Hawley st. to Summer st.; thence on the southerly side of Summer street to Chauncy place; thence on the westerly side of Chauncy place and Bedford place, crossing Bedford st.; on the westerly side of Rowe st. to Essex st.; thence on the northerly side of Essex st. to Washington st.; thence on the westerly side of Washington st. to Boylston st.; thence on the northerly side of Boylston st. to Tremont st.; thence on the easterly side of Tremont st. to Park st.; thence on the northeasterly side of Park st. to Beacon st.; thence on the northerly side of Beacon st. to the corner of Belknap st.

No. 8. Beginning at the water on the southerly side of Long wharf, thence on the southerly side of State st. to Congress st.; thence on the easterly side of Congress st. to Milk st.; thence on the southerly side of Milk st. to Federal st.; thence on the easterly side of Federal st. to Berry st.; thence on the northerly side of Berry st. to Atkinson st.; thence on the northeasterly side of Atkinson st. crossing Purchase st. and Broad st. to the water on the southerly side of Russia wharf.

No. 9.—Beginning at the water on the southerly side of Hobbs's wharf, thence crossing Sea st. to Beach st.; thence on the northerly side of Beach st. to Washington st.; thence on the easterly side of Washington st. to Essex st.; thence on the southerly side of Essex st. to Rowe st.; thence on the easterly side of Rowe st., crossing Bedford st. on the easterly side of Bedford place and Chauncy place to Summer st.; thence on the northerly side of Summer st. to Hawley st.; thence on the easterly side of Hawley st. to Franklin place; thence on the southerly side of Franklin place to Federal st.; thence crossing Federal st. to Berry st.; thence on the southerly side of Berry st. to Atkinson st.; thence on the southwesterly side of Atkin-

son st., crossing Purchase st. and Broad st. to the water on the southerly side of Russia wharf.

No. 10.—Beginning at the water on the southerly side of Hobbs's wharf, thence crossing Sea st. to Beach st.; thence on the southerly side of Beach st. to Washington st.; thence on the westerly side of Washington st. to Boylston st.; thence on the southerly side of Boylston st. to Pleasant st.; thence on the easterly side of Pleasant st. to Eliot st.; thence on the northerly side of Eliot st. to Carver st.; thence on the easterly side of Carver st. to Pleasant st.; thence on the northeasterly side of Pleasant st. to Washington st.; thence crossing Washington st. to Indiana st.; thence on the northerly side of Indiana st. to Harrison avenue; thence on the easterly side of Harrison avenue to a new street crossing the South Cove; thence on the northerly side of said street to the water on the southerly side of Guild & Cowdin's wharf.

No. 11. Beginning at the corner of Boylston st. and Pleasant st.; thence on the westerly side of Pleasant st. to Eliot st.; thence on the southerly side of Eliot st. to Carver st.; thence on the westerly side of Carver st. to Pleasant st.; thence on the southwesterly side of Pleasant st. to Washington st.; thence crossing Washington st. to Indiana st.; thence on the southerly side of Indiana st. to Harrison avenue; thence on the westerly side of Harrison avenue to a new street crossing the South Cove; thence on the southerly side of said street to the water on the southerly side of Guild & Cowdin's wharf; all south and west of the above described line, to Roxbury.

No. 12.—All South Boston.

BIRTH PLACES, &c. OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF 1848.

Names.	Born at	Held present office in
MAYOR.		
Josiah Quincy, jr.,	Boston, Mass.	1846, '47, '48.
ALDERMEN.		
Henry Bromfield Rogers,	Boston, Mass.	1844, '48.
William Pope,	Charleston, S. C.	1845, '46, '48.
John Hathaway,	Dighton, Mass.	1845, '46, '47, '48.
Frederick Gould,	South Reading, Mass.	1846, '47, '48.
George Edward Head,	Boston, Mass.	1846, '47, '48.
John Hubbard Wilkins,	Amherst, N. H.	1847, '48.
Billings Briggs,	Cohassett, Mass.	1847, '48.
John Plummer Ober,	Salem, Mass.	1848.

Names.	Born at	Held present office in
WARD 1.		
Daniel Bartlett, jr.	Andover, Mass. in 1801	1843, '48.
Noah Lincoln, jr.	Boston, Mass. 1810	1847, '48.
Abel B. Munroe,	Keene, N. H. 1801	1848.
John Hillard Bowker,	Scituate, Mass. 1813	1848.
WARD 2.		
Freeborn Fairfield Raymond,	Athol, Mass. 1812	1839, '40, '41, '48.
Henry Davis,	Boston, Mass. 1803	1843, '44, '48.
William Wildes,	Kennebunkport, Me. 1815	1847, '48.
George D. Boardman Blanchard,	Cumberland, Me. 1823	1848.
WARD 3.		
James Boynton,	Milford, N. H. 1791	1844, '47, '48.
George Cofran,	Pembroke, N. H. 1816	1846, '48.
Edwin Curtis Bailey,	New York, 1816	1847, '48.
Thomas Critchet,	Epsom, N. H. 1812	1848.
WARD 4.		
Samuel Whitney Hall,	Cornish, N. H. 1801	1844, '45, '46, 47, '48.
Benjamin Seaver,	Roxbury, Mass. 1795	1845, '46, '47, '48.
Darwin Erasmus Jewett,	St. Johnsbury, Vt. 1811	1847, '48.
William Whitwell Greenough,	Boston, Mass. 1818	1847, '48.

Ward 5.			
Francis Brown,	Lexington, Mass.	1802	1837, '38, '48.
Phillip Greely, jr.	Portland, Me.	1809	1837, '40, '48.
George Whiting Abbot,	Boston, Mass.	1801	1847, '48.
William Dawes Coolidge,	Boston, Mass.	1808	1847, '48.
Ward 6.			
Thomas Haviland,	Boston, Mass.	1796	1846, '47, '48.
Charles Henry Parker,	Boston, Mass.	1816	1846, '47, '48.
Richard Bridge Carter,	Lancaster, Mass.	1808	1847, '48.
John Phelps Putnam,	Hartford, Conn.	1817	1848.
Ward 7.			
Gideon French Thayer,	Watertown, Mass.	1793	1839, '44, '45, '46, '47, 48.
Theophilus Rogers Marvin,	Norwich, Conn.	1796	1841, '42, '43, '47, '48.
William Gray Brooks,	Portland, Me.	1805	1847, '48.
Josiah Putnam Bradlee,	Boston, Mass.	1817	1848.
Ward 8.			
Samuel Topliff,	Boston, Mass.	1789	1844, '45, '46, '47, '48.
Francis Gardner,	Leominster, Mass.	1809	1847, '48.
Willard Adams Harrington,	Tinemouth, Vt.	1814	1847, '48.
Nathaniel Brewer,	Boston, Mass.	1807	1848.
Ward 9.			
Walter Bryent,	Tamworth, N. H.	1807	1846, '47, '48.
Henry Waldo Cushing,	Boston, Mass.	1814	1846, '47, '48.
Tisdale Drake,	Stoughton, Mass.	1799	1847, '48.
William Blake,	Springfield, Mass.	1809	1847, '48.

Names.	Born at	Held present office in
WARD 10.		
George Robinson Sampson, . .	Boston, Mass. . in 1811	1845, '46, '47, '48.
Samuel Wales, jr.	Stoughton, Mass. . 1803	1847, '48.
Solomon Hopkins, ...	Welfleet, Mass. . . 1790	1848.
Jesse Maynard, ...	Sullivan, N. H. . . 1806	1848.
WARD 11.		
John Green, jr.	Boston, Mass. . . 1789	1835, '45, '46, '47, '48.
Edward Shirley Erving, . . .	Portland, Me. . . 1794	1841, '43, '44, '46, '47, '48.
George Washington Frothingham, .	Newburyport, Mass. 1799	1846, '47, '48.
Stephen Tucker, ...	Plaistow, N. H. . 1800	1846, '47, '48.
WARD 12.		
Samuel Shurtleff Perkins, . .	Paris, Me. . . . 1800	1847, '48.
Alvan Simonds, ...	Fitchburg, Mass. . 1807	1847, '47
Joseph Smith, ...	Dorchester, Mass. . 1810	1848.
Benjamin James, ...	Scituate, Mass. . . 1814	1848.

CATALOGUE

OF THE

GOVERNMENT

OF THE

CITY OF BOSTON,

IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF THEIR SERVICE,

FROM ITS

INSTITUTION, MAY 1, 1822, TO JAN. 1, 1848.

WITH AN

INDEX.

PRELIMINARY REMARKS.

During twenty-six municipal years, one being but eight months, when the time of the City election was changed in 1825, ninety-three citizens have served as Aldermen, twenty have deceased, two while in office. Six hundred and thirty members of the Common Council have been qualified.

Ward No.	1,	57 Members,	Ward No.	8,	47 Members,
" "	2,	53 "	" "	9,	40 "
" "	3,	51 "	" "	10,	55 "
" "	4,	49 "	" "	11,	56 "
" "	5,	53 "	" "	12,	72 "
" "	6,	47 "			
" "	7,	50 "			630

Forty-five citizens have represented two wards. One citizen has represented three wards. Showing that six hundred and thirty citizens have served in the Common Council, ninety-seven of whom have deceased, six while in office.

NOTE.

The asterisk denotes the deceased.

The Junior of Theodore Lyman, omitted 1839. See Mayors.

ALDERMEN.

Nathaniel P. Russell, Daniel Baxter, Joseph H. Dorr, reëlected, and Thomas B. Wales and Redford Webster elected 1825, declined.

George Blake reëlected for 1826, declined.

John Stevens elected for 1832, died prior to the organization.

James Savage elected for 1834, declined.

William Parker elected for 1845, resigned.

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William Bowes Bradford, Ward 3, elected 1822, did not qualify himself, declining to be sworn, there being then no provision for affirmation, except for Quakers.

Lucius Manlius Sargent, Ward 6, elected for 1827, declined.

Henry D. Gray and Isaac Harris, Ward 1; Eleazer Howard, Ward 2, and Joseph H. Thayer, Ward 9, (now 8,) elected for 1828, also Holmes Hinckley, Ward 11, for 1845, declined prior to the organization.

Samuel Thaxter, Ward 6, elected for 1830, declined.

William Foster, Ward 6, elected for 1831, declined.

John Boles, Ward 3, reëlected for 1838, declined.

The Junior of George Morey omitted 1829.

Asa Adams, Ward 3, took the intermediate name of Perry, 1830.

The Junior of Joshua Seaver, Ward 6, omitted 1833.

The Junior of Henry Fowle, Ward 2, omitted 1837.

The Junior of Francis Brinley, Ward 10, omitted 1838.

Washington P. Gragg, Ward 4, spelt Gregg since 1836.

There have been four successfully contested elections.

The first, Feb. 22, 1830, vacated the seat of a member from Ward 6, on the ground that "closing the poll before the hour at which the voters were notified it would be closed, was a violation of the rights of the voters."

The second, May 7, 1835, vacated the seats of the members of Ward 3, who were returned as having been elected at an adjourned meeting, Dec. 11, 1834, on the ground of irregular proceeding to render the whole number of votes certain by taking the highest number of votes for candidates on each opposing ticket; adjournment of the meeting by the sole authority of the Warden, and other irregularities at the annual election, December 8.

The third case, March 7, 1839, vacated the seats of three members of Ward 12, on the ground that a number of illegal voters, sufficient to effect the choice, voted at the polls.

The fourth, Feb. 9, 1843, vacated the seats of three members from Ward 1, returned as elected at the adjourned meeting, Dec. 14, on the ground that four votes for non-resident candidates, (*after having been first thrown out by the Ward officers,) were counted at the annual election, December 12, thereby preventing the choice of two other candidates, who, by excluding the said four votes, were, by the decision of the Council, declared elected, leaving one vacancy.

The election of Mayor for 1845, was more warmly contested than on any former year. There were not less than eight several ballotings by the citizens. At the eighth trial, on the 21st of February, Thomas A. Davis was elected.

In the meantime, from January to February 27, 1845, William Parker, one of the Aldermen, having been elected Chairman of the Board of Aldermen, performed the duties of Mayor.

On the 6th of October, Thomas A. Davis, being in declining health, resigned the office of Mayor, which resignation, however, was not accepted by the City Council, and on the 22d of November he died, being the first Mayor who has died, while in office, since the organization of the City Government in 1822.

* This fact was admitted though not stated in the report of the Committee.

On the 11th of December, Josiah Quincy, Jr. was elected Mayor, by the City Council, for the unexpired term of 1845.

Benson Leavitt, one of the Board of Aldermen, acted as Chairman of the Board in the interval between the death of Mr. Davis and the election of Mr. Quincy.

In 1844, the office of City Attorney was abolished.

The words in the Catalogue, "*see No.*"—refer to wards.

MAYORS.

*John Phillips, 1822.
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Charles Wells, 1832, 33.
Theodore Lyman, jr., 1834, 35. See Note.
Samuel Turell Armstrong, 1836.
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*Martin Brimmer, 1843, 44.
*Thomas Aspinwall Davis, 1845. From Feb. 27. See Note.
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*Samuel Billings, 1822.
*Ephraim Eliot, 1822.
Jacob Hall, 1822.
*Joseph Head, 1822.
Joseph Jenkins, 1822.
Joseph Lovering, 1822.
Nathaniel Pope Russell, 1822, 40. See Note.
Bryant Parrot Tilden, 1822.
*Daniel Baxter, 1823, 24. See Note.
George Odiorne, 1823, 24.
*David Weld Child, 1823, 24.
Joseph Hawley Dorr, 1823, 24. See Note.
Ashur Benjamin, 1823, 24. December, resigned.
Enoch Patterson, 1823, 24.
Caleb Eddy, 1823, 24.
*Stephen Hooper, 1823, 24. September, died.
Cyrus Alger, November, 1824, 27.
Daniel Carney, 1825, 26.
*John Bellows, 1825, 26, 27.
*Josiah Marshall, 1825, 26.
*John Damarisque Dyer, 1825.
*Thomas Welch, jr, 1825, 26, 27.
*George Blake, 1825. See Note.
*Henry Jackson Oliver, 1825, 26, 29, 30, 31, 32.
John Bryant, 1825.
John Foster Loring, 1826, 27, 28, 29, 30.
Francis Jackson, 1826.
Edward Hutchinson Robbins, 1826.
Jeremiah Smith Boies, 1827.
*Robert Fennelly, 1827, 28. September, died.
Thomas Beale Wales, 1827. See Note.
James Savage, 1827, 28. See Note.
Thomas Kendall, 1828, 29.
James Hall, 1828, 29.
Phineas Upham, 1828.
*John Pickering, 1828.
Samuel Turell Armstrong, 1828, 29, 30, 31.

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*John Binney, 1831, 32, 33.
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Jabez Ellis, 1832, 33, 34.
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*John Eliot, 1823, 24, 25, 27
Joseph Wheeler, 1823, 24
Michael Tombs, 1824
*Robert Fennelly, 1825
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*Joseph Stodder, 1822, 23
*John Parker Boyd, 1823
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*John Damarisque Dyer, 1823, 24, 27, 28, April, resigned, removed from City.
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*William Sprague, 1824, 26
*Thomas Wells, 1825
*Abraham Williams Fuller, 1825
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*Jeremiah Fitch, 1824.
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*George Hallett, 1825, 26, 27, 32.
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REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE.

The following table shows the value of the Real and Personal Estate, with the number of persons assessed from the year 1794, and every subsequent fifth year to 1844.

Year.	Real Estate.	Personal Estate.	Aggregate.	No. Bills.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	
1794	602,312 10 0	824,812 10 0	1,427,125 0 0	2953
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1799	3,224,100	3,766,200	6,990,300	3600
1804	13,753,000	15,328,300	29,081,300	5230
1809	19,712,000	16,617,200	36,329,200	6772
1814	17,871,400	15,164,800	33,037,200	6617
1819	22,795,800	16,583,400	39,379,200	7851
1824	27,303,800	22,540,000	49,807,800	10980
1829	36,963,800	24,104,200	61,068,000	13311
1834	43,140,600	31,665,200	74,805,800	15652
1839	58,577,800	33,248,600	91,826,400	18151
1844	72,048,000	46,402,300	118,450,300	24817

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